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Listen, and ye shall hear.

# Forward

The pathways through high school are memorable ones. We hope that through this book, we have portrayed a span of these pathways to the future upon which each of us travels.

Education, in itself, is a wide and heavily traveled pathway. There are many forks in this pathway--each leading to some goal set by those who are traveling upon it.

Just as some roads are unpaved, so are some pathways to success unpaved. There are many rough and threatening sections. However, if the goal is kept in view, all difficulties can be surmounted, and the pathway will have served its purpose of furnishing a means of guidance.

We are proud of our faculty who are the guideposts along our pathway through high school. Without them our trek would be futile.

With all these things in mind, we the Annual Staff of Leo High School present the

# 1972 Oracle

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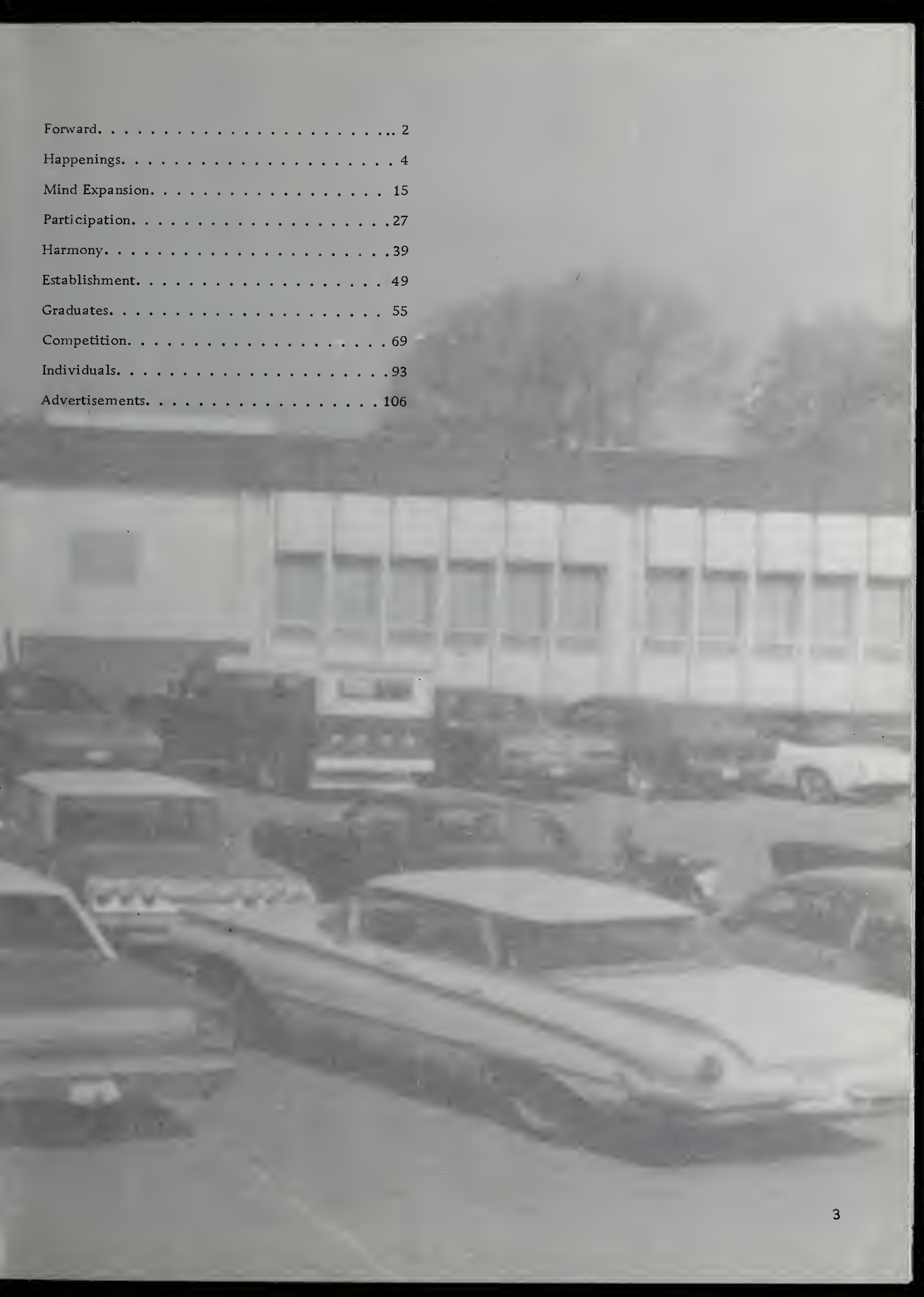


A presentation was given by a representative from a beauty college.

Our school had many visitors who were interested in the new system.

Leo was fortunate this year to have Senator Birch Bayh speak at an all school assembly.

Post-test pandemonium.

There goes Pam Hade and Jackie Hill's diet.

Someday Craig Chapman and Keith Butler will make wonderful housewives.

Card sharks of the Level III lounge.

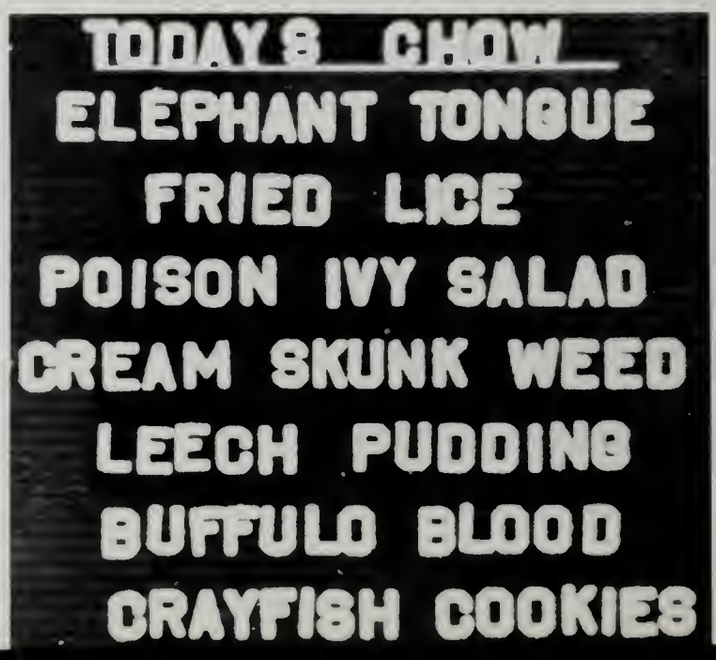
# School Life

Student life at Leo...
talking with friends...
relaxing in the library...
a friendly smile.

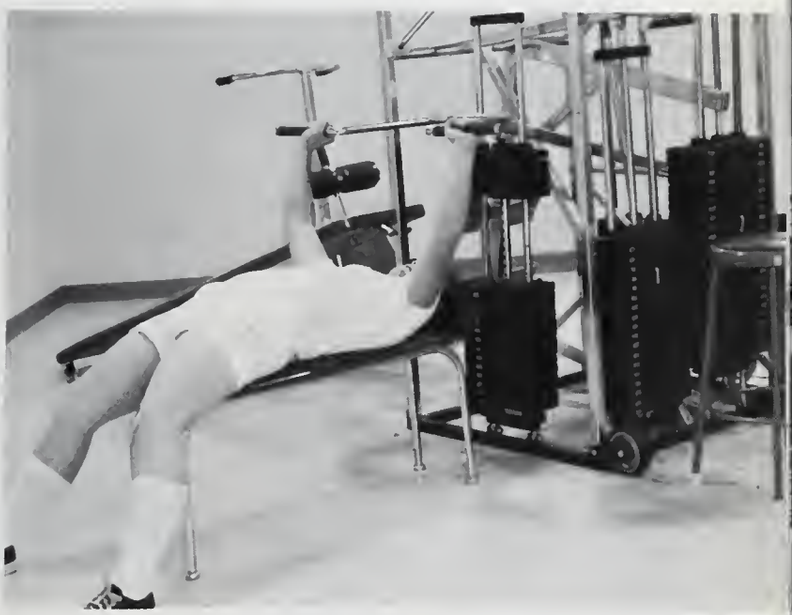
The closer you get the better you look.

Linda VanZile tells it as it is.

L. Nelson, J. Jones, T. Brown, and C. Liechty "drag it out" for a pep session.



The singing group "Free-fare" sang a series of popular hits for the student body.



TOP: The gossip group at a Burger Bash. MIDDLE: The weight machine helps athletes get in shape and stay there. BOTTOM: Grace Delagrange, Jane Jones and Mrs. Nelson crack up with laughter as usual.

Mike Hicks and Doug Shaffer relax in the IMC.

# "ANNIE GET YOUR GUN"

The musical and acting talent of Leo students blossomed forth in the gala production of "ANNIE GET YOUR GUN." All those in the musical did an outstanding job both in acting and singing. Behind the scenes was a lot of hard work. Make-up, costume, stage, and prop committees spent many long but rewarding hours helping make this year's musical the best ever.

Grace Delangrange and Ernie Stoller played leading roles as Anne Oakley and Frank Butler.

Kyle Sowers applies make-up to Denny Zorger.

Gene Cowan and Bob Pauley are a few of the many "behind the scene" men.

# SCORES BIG SUCCESS

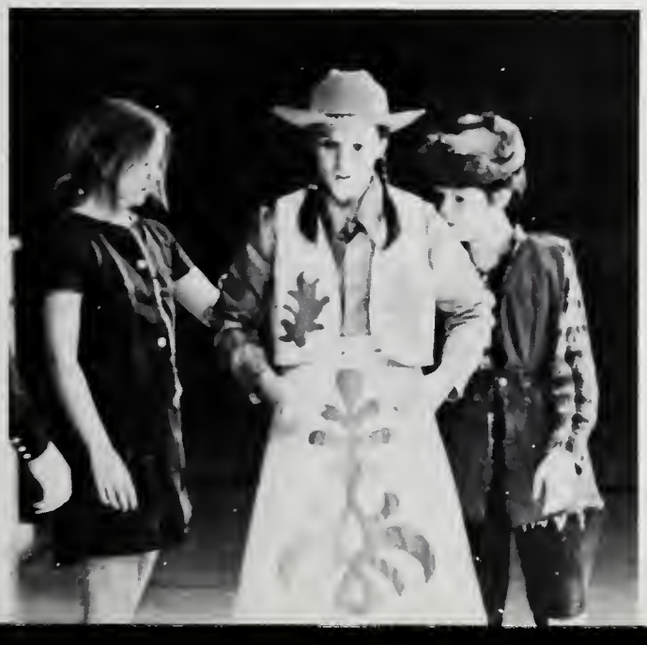
"Annie Get Your Gun" would have been nothing without the two great directors: Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Belschner.

CAST:

Grace Delagrange
Ernie Stoller
Tim Hartigan
Tim Minnick
L. Klopfenstein
Jim Cunningham
Randy Gernhardt
Jeff Platt
Julie Yockey
April Thomas
Marsha Garey
Carma Liechty
Kurt Harris
Robin Sommer
Karen Lederman
Beth Buckles

Rick Hartigan
Doug Myers
Dave Heim
Jow Tharp
Terri Brown
Bob Waikel
Connie Houck
Janell Brown
Dave Pelz
Rick Burns
Mick Tonkel
Dennis Zorger
Rex Worman
Mike Myers
Debbie Kelly
Beth Wells

Phil Schlatter
Tom Schlatter
Carma Hartman
Debbie Stein
Cheryl Henderson
Darlene Straughn
Sandy Scoville
Jane Jones
Karen Conley
Wendy Liechty
Nan Crosby
Sally Miller
Pat Pape
Karen Miller
Joy Liechty
Toni Surfus



# Prom Held at Hospitality Motor Inn

On May 6, 1972, Leo couples danced to the music of the "Upsetters". The theme for the prom was "A Time for Us". The prom court was elected by juniors and seniors earlier in the week. After dancing until 12:30, the couples tired but still raring to go, left the Inn. Many had after-prom parties that lasted all night.

The King was Mike Lederman and the Queen was Wendy Liechty.

The King, Queen and the court.

# Graduation 1972

Capped and gowned seniors milling in excited groups. Families and friends streaming into the school stadium. This is Sunday evening, May 28, 1972--Leo High School's first outdoor combined baccalaureate and commencement program. After music by the high school band, the baccalaureate message is given by the Rev. Paul Tieman. Much of the rest of the program is presented by students. David Klopfenstein and Karen Conley deliver the invocation and benediction. Joe Tharp delivers the salutatory address, and Dennis Zorger, the valedictory address, both of which the boys had written. The class gift of banners to be hung in the school gym, representing the schools of the Allen County Athletic Conference, is presented by Tom Yoder. Honor Students are introduced.

The final big moment for each senior comes as he receives his diploma from Principal Loren S. Jones and Board of Trustees President Richard C. Hartigan. The class is graduated.

# Honor Students

Valedictorian: Dennis Zorger
Salutatorian: Joe Tharp

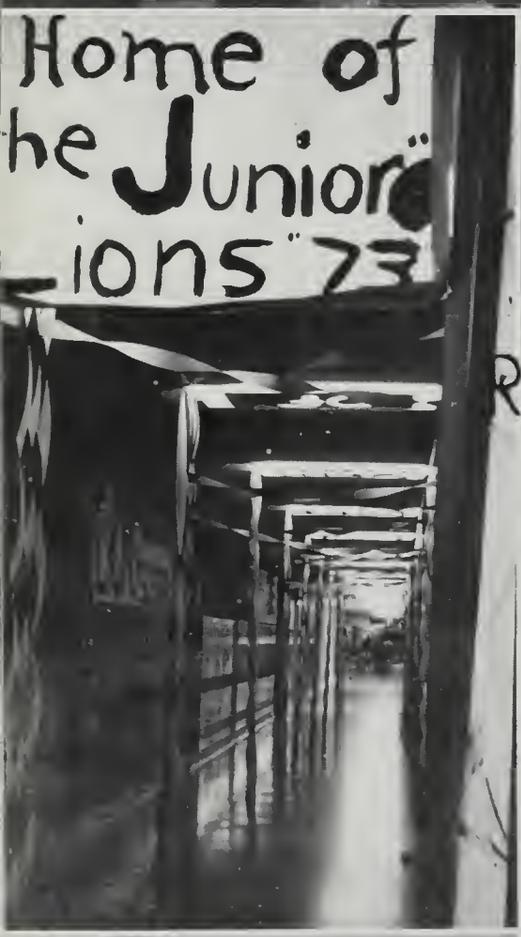
Scholarships from local sources were received by these students: Joe Tharp, National Honor Society; Connie Houck, East Allen Parent Teachers Association; Dennis Zorger, Nellie T. Mershan; Nan Crosby, Cedar Greek Woman's Club.

The State Scholarship Committee named the following students as Hoosier Scholars. Some received money, according to their need.

Sherry Bartle
Nan Crosby
David Heim
Ted Hunt
Jess Jessup
David Klopfenstein
Susan Klug
Mike Lederman
Barbara Springer
Ernest Stoller
Joe Tharp
Jesse Yoder
Dennis Zorger

Student Election

"Sleeping Beauty"



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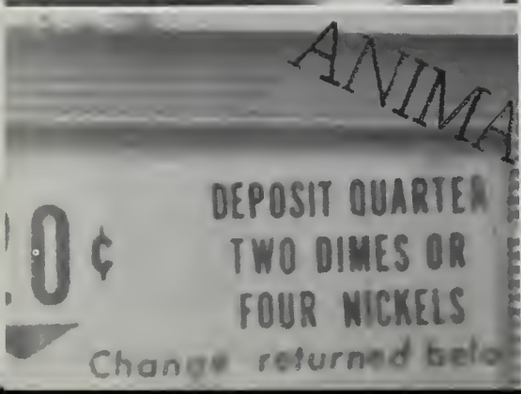

Pollution
WALLACE SHOT
Nam
Rare
Comic Books Under Glass
How to Lose Weight
PLAN
Ann
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LEO

# Excitement and Rainy Weather Spells . . . Homecoming 1971

Homecoming activities started on Thursday at the traditional bonfire, where Lion fans warmed their toes and their spirit around the fire. After a tense week of wondering who would be the 1971 Homecoming Queen, excitement was in the air as Nan Crosby was crowned at halftime. Earlier in the week, classes voted for the other two candidates for queen which were Wendy Liechty and Sue Oddou. Later at the dance everyone warmed their feet dancing to the music.

The queen's attendants were: Kathy Zorger, Vicki Fisher, and Chris Gustin.

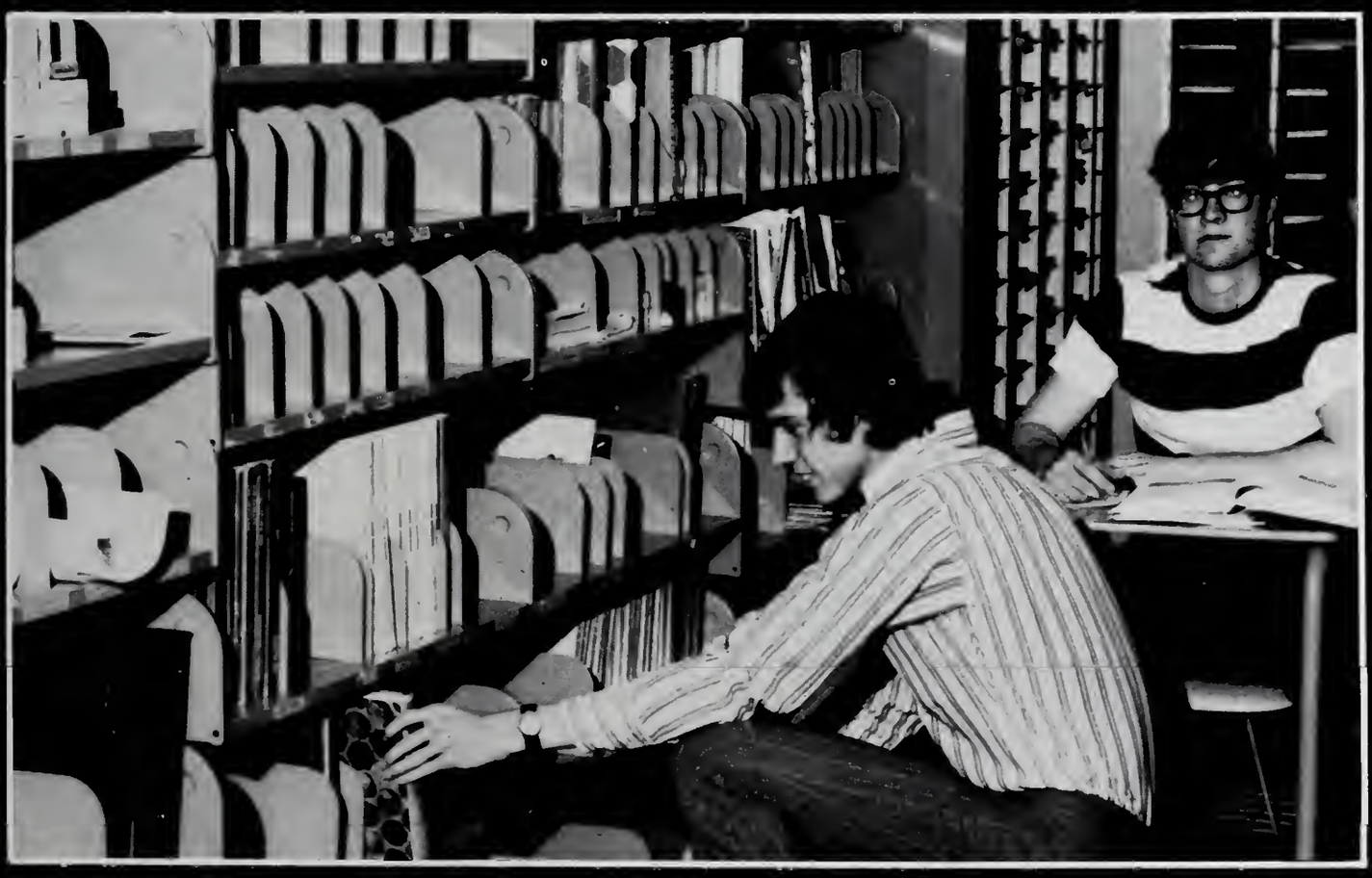
The three Senior candidates were: Sue Oddou, Wendy Liechty, and Nan Crosby.

The 1971 Homecoming Queen: Nan Crosby.

Coach Walton helps the boys warm up for the rainy game against the Carrol Chargers.

Studies were with us this year as always. However, this year with the Model Schools Project, recognition is found by different means. A personal feeling of accomplishment is the result of knowing that one has done the best he could.

# MIND EXPANSION



# *Language Arts Students Read, Write, Create*

Many things are studied, learned and written in the different areas of language arts. They include metaphors, Shakespeare, term papers, punctuation, similes, kennings, poetry, speeches, vocabulary, and better communication. To stimulate more student interest, some new courses were offered this year such as Bible Literature and English Literature.

Cindy Vredenburg listens intently to the good grammar of Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Weick explains the art of speed reading to students.

Gary Patton receives help to improve his spelling.

# Students View the World

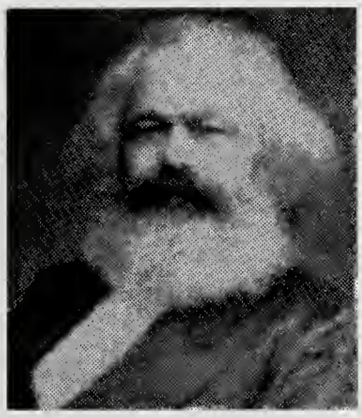
World affairs, city structure, and foreign policies entered the social studies unipacs to give history, psychology and sociology everyday importance.

Lori Brouse works enthusiastically on one of her many post-tests.

Sitting Bull (Tim Hartigan) at work.

Mr. Butler and Mr. Schlatter catch up on the news.

Mr. Gabet and spouse guard the Student Council raffle prize.



Stitch along with itch.

# French is New

A new foreign language was introduced to Leo this year: French. Pictures and maps from the French Embassy in New York were used to bring the French culture to life. Students now may study two languages, since many were already studying Spanish.

Two new teacher additions to LHS are Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Ballentine.

Yo hablo espanol?

Kathy Gregory tries to explain Spanish grammar.

Adios

# Creative Talents Find Artistic Expression

The fine arts combines creativeness and originality with talent and skill. Students were busy in drama, music and art.

Janell Brown: Director of the day.

Julie Dean and Cindy Shaffer prepare for a contest.

Tom Crabill warms up.

More practice means better ratings.

Pat Dean demonstrates her acting ability.

# Students Develop Math Skills

Numbers, theorems, axioms, proofs, spheres, tables, and triangles-all these are a part of building basic and complex number skills of mathematics.

Rick Burns proofreads his work.

Mr. Garman is busy recycling a test.

Sue Crabill diligently works on a test.

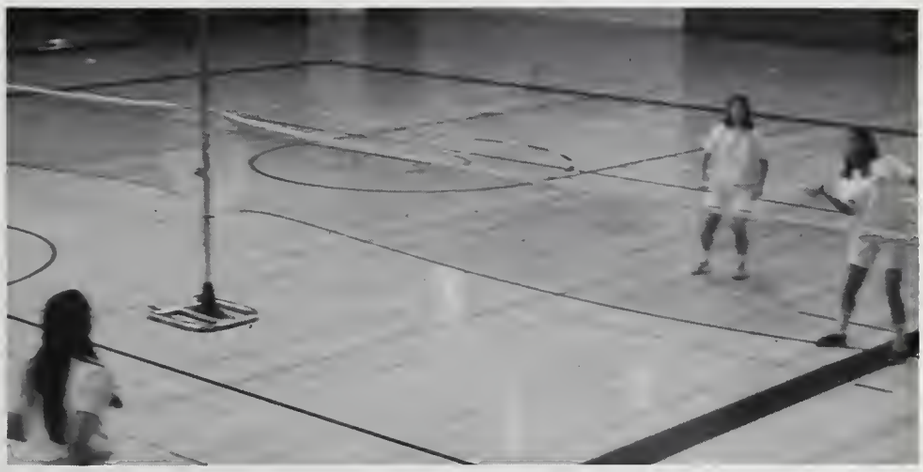
Mr. Walton helps struggling student, Tom Crabill.

# LHS Gym Classes Offer Hidden Advantages

Even though gym classes are required, they do offer benefits. Boys build up muscles through exercises and girls whittle away pounds and acquire grace through group games.

Debbie Kelly vaults over the horse with form and grace.

Greg Miller searches for a lost birdie.



Cindy Sommer, Jyl Butler, and Rae Vendrely practice their badminton.

Doug Myers prepares to shoot the birdie.

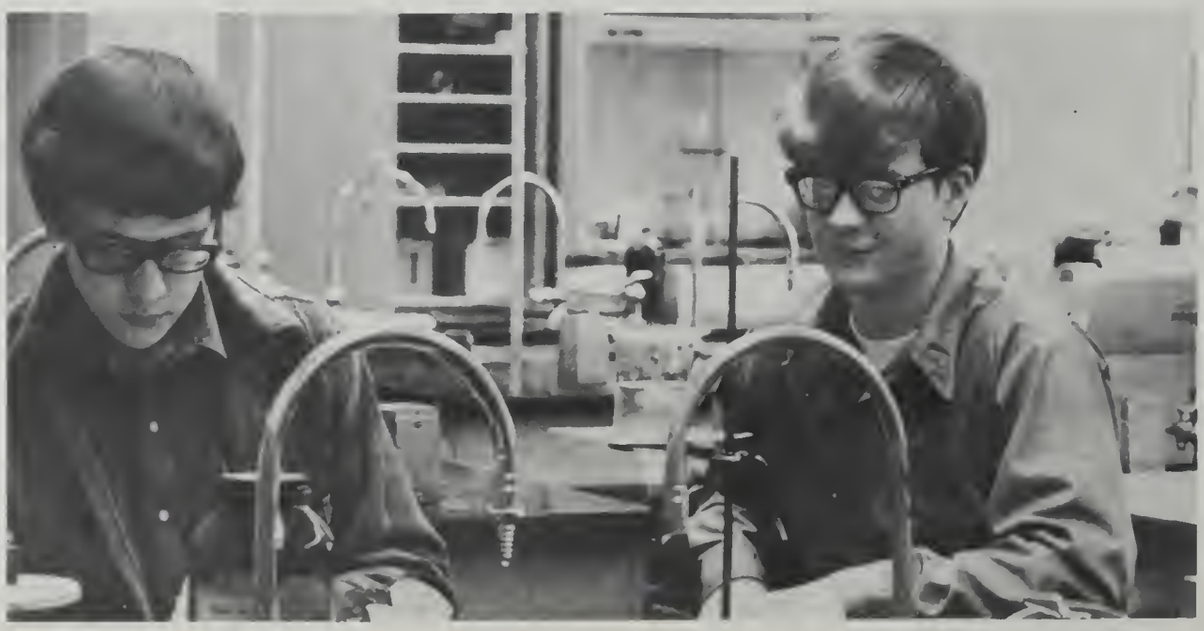
# Science Offers Challenges

Science observations lead to conclusions, broken flasks, test tubes, and odd aromas.

Mr. Noyer helps students and teachers alike.

Jess Yoder shows Dave Klopfenstein how to use the calculator.

Mad scientists Brad Witte and Ted Hunt at work again.



# to L.H.S. Students

Joe Tharp dissects a piglet for Advanced Biology.

Mrs. Howland and Mr. Noyer offer assistance whenever it's needed.

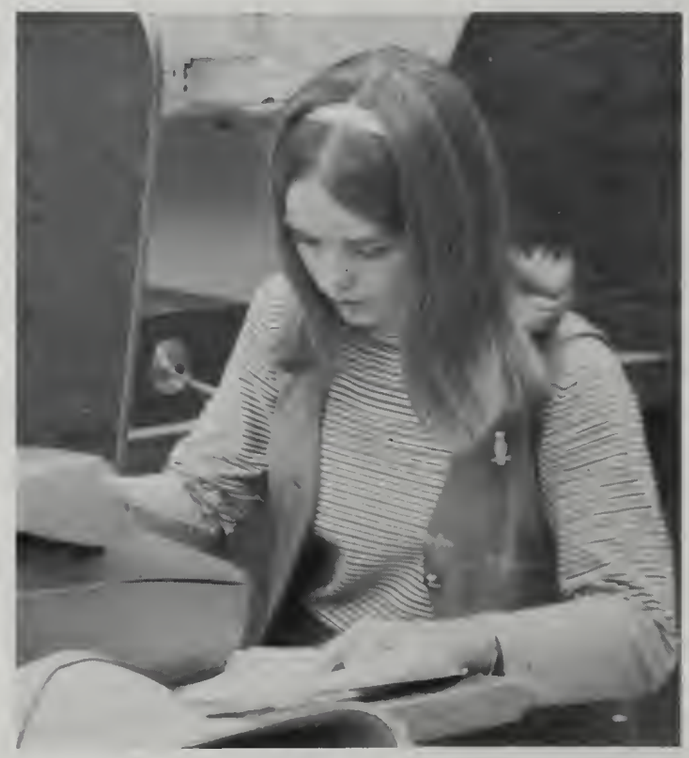
# Classes Offer the Development

In Practical Arts, students learn how to use the tools of life and to prepare for today and tomorrow. Speed typing, sewing, cooking, drills, and lathes are familiar words to these students.

Glen Noble counts his mistakes.

Sue Blotkamp practices her typing speed.

Mrs. Mumma explains how to space correctly to Cindy Sommer.



Sondra Baumgartner uses the adding machine.

# of Skills to Everyone

Sewing takes much close work.

Donna Porter enjoys cutting out a new outfit.

The sewing room is always busy with needles, thread and scissors flying.

"Sewing Club"

# Industrial Arts Department Strives for Perfection

A house of the future is drawn by Lamar Leichty.

Larry Henderson and Ed Notestine work on their project.

Teacher and student finish a blueprint.

You did what with the hammer?

Frank Stuckey demonstrates his woodworking skill.

Students at Leo have a high average of participation in activities. These activities, whether acting, playing euchre, or belonging to one or many clubs, create a break in the everyday routine of school work. Each club has a purpose, but behind each club there must be enthusiasm, and that means students.

# PARTICIPATION

STUDENT COUNCIL: SEATED: B. Wells; Treas, T. Yoder; Pres, E. Stoller; V. Pres, D. Klopfenstein; Sec, K. Zorger; Sponsor, Mr. Gabet. ROW 2: D. Roth, K. Harris, K. Lederman, J. Jessup, T. Klopfenstein, R. Hartigan, G. Platt, M. Lengacher. ROW 3: R. Sommer, D. Dwyer, D. Hankey, C. Liechty, K. Zimmerman, P. Bollier, B. Klopfenstein, J. Sauder, K. Maier, V. Kipfer, L. Morgan.

# Students Have Leadership and Knowledge

The main purpose of Student Council is to have leadership throughout the school. The student exchange program, the raffle for a school project, and the constitutional revision are just a few changes and ideas the outstanding organization showed this year.

The Sr. High Honor Society has been equally as busy. They spent the school year doing many helpful activities, such as showing new students around the building, helping operate the concession stand, and supervising the quiet study room.

Ernie Stoller is thinking again!

HONOR SOCIETY: ROW 1: Sponsor, Mr. Hartung, P. Sylvester, K. Miller, L. Cole, C. Houck, K. Conley, J. Schaefer, S. Oddou, C. Sommer. ROW 2: G. Delagrange, B. Springer, K. Maier, P. Dean, J. Jones, M. Miller, D. Hankey, N. Crosby, Sec. ROW 3: S. Zehr, J. Jones, J. Souder; V. Pres. R. Hartigan, J. Jessup, D. Klopfestein, S. Scoville, R. Kipfer. ROW 4: D. Zorger, E. Stoller, R. Bollier, L. Klopfenstein, Pres; J. Tharp, M. Lederman, D. Heim, T. Klopfenstein, J. Platt.

SPORTSMEN'S CLUB: ROW 1: Sponser, Mr. Heller, C. Beachy, B. Bender, L. Liechty, D. Beachy, P. Liechty, V. Baumgartmer, R. Butler, L. Delagrange, R. Schwartz, R. Klopfenstein. ROW 2: B. Gehring, M. Peters, G. Wetzel, T. Miles, K. Zimmerman, D. Miller, D. Saylor, T. Elett, D. Delagrange, D. Murray. ROW 3: K. Fries, B. Blouser, R. Gerke, R. Burgess, T. Stoll, S. Kipfer, V. Tonkel, M. Augustyniak, C. Chapman, C. Carper, R. Chapman, B. Chaney. ROW 4: M. Gardener, B. Leichty, L. Jessup, T. Hunt, B. Willibey, D. Wisniewski, M. Tonkel, B. Myers, R. Stoll, M. Heller, J. Mix, S. Shaffer. ROW 5: A. Eicher, K. Butler, D. Saylor, R. Zuber, T. Crabill, J. Jessup, G. Segerstrom, S. Kipfer, D. Butler, M. Moore, L. Henderson, S. Schlatter. ROW 6: M. Lengacher, R. Galuppo, T. Farnsworth, J. Matz, R. Christman, B. Witte, G. Cowan, L. Kinsey, L. Lee, R. Hullinger, K. Schauer, D. Stuckey.

The Sportsmen's Club is a group for those who are interested in hunting. They watch many films pertaining to hunting and shooting throughout the year.

# *Students Are Active and Energetic*

The Lettermen's Club is a very honorable group at Leo. Each member has to have a letter in some area, such as; Athletics, Music, or Academics.

LETTERMEN'S CLUB: ROW 1: Mr. Frick, G. Noble, D. Greer, J. Greer, P. Liechty, Mr. Platt, Mr. Walton. ROW 2: M. Halter, S. Lengacher, G. Platt, R. Zuber, R. Burns, T. Yoder, A. Latz, D. Klopfenstein, J. Tonkel. ROW 3: D. Wisniewski, R. Hartigan, G. Brown, C. Carper, T. Minnick, M. Carey, B. Waikel, J. Kissel, B. Liechty, K. Lederman. ROW 4: K. Culler, R. Worman, D. Myers, R. Burgess, D. Zorger, E. Surface, D. Heim, T. Klopfenstein, S. Noel, J. Platt. ROW 5: E. Stoller, R. Christman, L. Klopfenstein, R. Minnick, G. Cowan, R. Bollier, J. Tharp, M. Lederman, M. Hager, M. Tonkel.

# Girls Display Skill and Ambition

The Jr. High and Sr. High GAA spend many long hours practicing throughout the year. GAA helps the girls to build their character, have good sportsmanship, and to get acquainted with girls from other schools, who are interested in sports.

Their main project was the T-shirt sale, which was held at the beginning of the year.

The girls had a very good season this year in many of their sports.

JR. HIGH GAA: ROW 1: M. Garman, C. Leichty, P. Oddou, S. Burger, T. Black, W. Hurst. ROW 2: Sponsor, Mrs. Gillett, V. Amstutz, R. Butler, A. Zorger, K. Kruckeberg, B. Buckles, K. Books, K. Wells.

Sandy Augustyniak spikes the ball.

Practice makes perfect.

SR. HIGH GAA: ROW 1: S. Miller, J. Gustin, S. Heim, R. Vendrely, J. Butler, C. Sommer. ROW 2: N. Crosby, W. Liechty, D. Worden, D. Kelly, J. Cole, S. Oddou, K. Miller. ROW 3: G. Delagrange, D. Hankey, S. Liechty, M. Miller, J. Liechty, S. Augustyniak, L. Beedy. ROW 4: D. Baldwin, C. Carey, D. Wells, K. Lederman, R. Christman, S. Scoville, J. Heim, M. Evans, C. Michael.

SR. HIGH CAMPUS LIFE: ROW 1: B. Reasoner, K. Moore, D. Doll, J. Sutton, M. Schlatter, K. Gehring, J. Greiger, J. Luker, C. Deventer. ROW 2: M. Renfrow, K. Graber, L. Delagrange, K. Zimmerman, K. West, J. Blomberg, C. Matz, J. DeWitt, T. Brindle. ROW 3: D. Delagrange, T. Schlatter, J. Ball, M. Heller, P. Schlatter, M. McKinley, J. Amstutz, G. Peters, T. Yoder.

# Students Develop Spiritually

Campus Life feels that students need an opportunity to develop mentally, physically, socially, and spiritually. Realizing that the spiritual aspect is often neglected, Campus Life provides a voluntary club where students can get together and develop this part of their life.

Carma Hartman seems to be enjoying herself at a Campus Life meeting.

JR. HIGH CAMPUS LIFE: ROW 1: B. DeWitt, P. Stabler, D. Boyle, B. Hicks, N. Miller, D. Scott, E. Ball, D. Greiger, B. Henry, T. Horn, R. Slater, D. Rennecker, Mr. Schlatter. ROW 2: D. Lyon, T. Black, P. Augustyniak, S. Schlatter, J. Cunningham, C. Graber, K. King, G. Amstutz, D. Pugh, J. Platt, D. Gerke, M. Driver. ROW 3: J. Maxfield, V. Estes, S. Crabill, V. Amstutz, S. Sachen, L. Linn, B. Cole, C. Weilbaker, C. Liechty, H. Peasley, C. Vredenburg, J. Kitsmiller. ROW 4: D. Wilson, J. Stuckey, D. Hankey, K. Sink, L. Means, P. Johnson, T. Morrical, G. Julius, D. Stuckey, P. Grush, R. Saylor, C. Beachy. ROW 5: D. Hager, M. Miller, D. West, L. Stabler, R. Warner, J. Yoder, B. Bowser, P. Jones, D. Crosby, J. Hursh, P. Phillips, M. Heller. ROW 6: A. Rhonemus, P. Lengacher, L. Campbell, G. Roberts, C. Bender, K. Butler, T. Troyer, R. Gerke, R. Gerig, S. Liechty, L. McCagg, P. Mills.

Future Homemakers of America. ROW 1: L. Beedy, P. Gaunt, S. Mann, D. Porter, K. Maier, S. Blotkamp, V. Clifton, C. McMahan, M. Schaefer; ROW 2: V. McWhirter, J. Luker, D. Porter, D. King, B. Saylor, L. Augustyniak, C. Murray, A. Croteau, Sponsor, Mrs. Volkert. ROW 3: C. Clouse, A. Schrock, J. Blomberg, R. Means, R. Gongwer, L. Witmer, Y. Stuckey, C. Metz, M. Gauwreluk, D. Doll.

Students studying. ???

# *Girls Interested in Home Ec. and Y-Teens*

Y-Teens: ROW 1: A. Thomas, D. Parkison, T. Hill, D. Burns, C. Musser.
ROW 2: Mrs. Volkert, N. Dewitt, L. Klea, C. Sharp, C. Vredenberg, P. Mills.
ROW 3: M. Stuckey, V. Eastes, B. Medcalf, L. Campbell, K. Gregory, P. Core.

The object of the Future Homemakers of America is to help individuals to improve personal, family, and community living. As a service project this year, they sponsored a little Korean girl. They took several field trips.

The Y-Teens are girls in the seventh and eighth grades who are members of the YWCA. For projects, they have collected food and clothing for underprivileged families. They have enjoyed several field trips.

SERVICE CLUB: ROW 1: L. Nelson, T. Surfus, G. Black, S. Heim, B. Wells, R. Vendrely, R. Kipfer. ROW 2: Mr. Noyer, P. Jones, S. Mann, S. Miller, J. Komanec, S. Augustyniak, J. Jones. ROW 3: P. Sylvester, M. Schaefer, S. Baumgartner, D. Herzog, G. Delagrange, J. Miller, D. Worden, J. Luker, D. Gerke.

# Students Serve Their School

The Service Club at Leo High is for those students who are interested in serving the school. They run errands and do things to help out the office workers in their every day tasks.

The FTA is an organization involving the students who are interested in the teaching profession. Most of them are thinking about continuing their education and becoming teachers.

Deep concentration is required for Linda Van-Zile as she begins her test.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA: ROW 1: Mrs. Harrah, N. Amstutz, C. Houck, J. Lockner. ROW 2: D. Porter, L. Beedy, D. Shoaff, M. Evans, J. Gustin.

# Plays, Speeches, Dedication

The Librarians Club serves the school by being in the IMC and making sure things are running smoothly. They sponsor the Book Fair, which is a great asset to our school.

The girls involved in the National Forensic League attend various speech contests within Indiana. They work very hard to get their monologues down to perfection.

The Jr. High Dramatics Club is a spirited group at Leo. They performed plays and presented a skit at the Christmas program.

JR. HIGH DRAMATICS: ROW 1: M. Renfro, A. Schwartz, R. Poisel, M. Garman, Mrs. Jones. ROW 2: D. Doll, D. Pugh, J. Cunningham, S. Schlatter, B. Medcalf. ROW 3: D. Wilson, L. Klinger, L. Brouse, K. Harris, P. Grear, D. Parkinson.

NFL: J. Jones, Mrs. Belshner, J. Brown.

LIBRARIANS CLUB: ROW 1: K. Gregory, G. Amstutz, M. Yoder, P. Core, R. Schwartz, C. Graber, C. Komanec, D. Liechty. ROW 2: Mrs. Sylvester, P. Hade, V. McWhirter, J. Schafer, M. Segerstrom, L. Vandevenne, W. Hurst, J. Mull, Miss Martin. ROW 3: M. Greer, J. DeForrest, S. Schafer, D. Doll, J. DeWitt, C. Deventer, K. Moore, C. Wagner. ROW 4: C. Pontius, B. Buckles, L. Strong, K. Weidner, D. Porter, L. Blomberg, L. Delagrange, R. Means, M. Evans.

EUCHRE CLUB: ROW 1: D. Wilson, T. Black, D. Delagrange, D. Gerke, D. Hankey, N. Beachy, D. Lyons, K. Sink. ROW 2: Mr. Divelbiss, K. Pelz, J. Yoder, B. Bowser, D. Jones, R. Swartz, D. Delagrange, W. Raeke. ROW 3: D. Delagrange, G. Roberts, R. Gerke, C. Bender, K. West, M. Shoaff, G. Peters, B. Wielbaker. ROW 4: D. Greer, D. Graber, E. Notestein, L. Jessup, D. Saylor, F. McNiece, R. Butler, J. Tonkel. ROW 5: J. Hurst, L. Henderson, D. Beachy; D. Miller, J. Kissell, J. Everett, J. Greer, E. Surface.

# *Euchre Club and Zoology Club*

The Euchre Club is an organization of boys involved in trying to improve their Euchre skills. They meet once a week to play, improve, and discuss the game.

The Zoology Club is a group of boys who are interested in the world of science. They have done many interesting things this year, such as buying a snake and talking about animals.

ZOOLOGY CLUB: ROW 1: S. Kryder, T. Black, J. Platt, D. Greiger. ROW 2: D. Pugh, D. Johnson, J. Cunningham, B. Cole, J. Sutton. ROW 3: Mr. Divelbiss, J. Stuckey, P. Phillips, G. Roberts, K. West, R. Schwartz, J. Greiger.

# Students Serve School in Many Ways.

PHOTO CLUB: Larry Slater, Greg Miller, Conrad Matz.

The Photo Club's main responsibility is to provide quality photographs for Leo's yearbook. They spend many long and tedious hours doing this project.

The purpose of the Projectionists Club is to serve the school in various ways. They take care of the audio-visual equipment and make sure it is available for the school's use.

The Chess Club is an organization involving those students who are interested in chess.

ROW 1: Mrs. Raffa, M. Grush, B. Waikel, L. Lengacher, S. Noel. ROW 2: R. Cleven, K. Zink, S. Heath, D. Peasley, D. Blousey, K. Fries. ROW 3: D. Kissell, M. McKinley, S. Short, J. Sauder, M. Porter, T. Morrical, D. Boyle. ROW 4: D. Herzog, D. Worden, J. Hurst, J. Lengacher, T. Doxsee, B. Myers, P. Slatter.

CHESS CLUB: Mr. Noyer, S. Kryder, K. Lederman, C. Carey, K. Weilbaker, STANDING: T. Elett, W. Racke, J. Ball, L. Jessup, B. Bowser, K. Pelz, K. Sink, D. Shaffer.

BOOSTER CLUB: ROW 1: D. Kelly, S. Oddou, N. Crosby, W. Liechty, K. Lederman. ROW 2: K. Miller, S. Zehr, S. Scoville D. Straughn, D. Hankey. ROW 3: D. Johnson, L. VanZile, L. Weilbaker, T. Brown, J. Liechty, G. Delagrange, R. Vendrely, R. Kipfer, T. Slentz, J. Heim, C. Murray. ROW 4: D. Roth, S. Blotkamp, R. Gray, K. Cunningham, R. Congwer, S. Miller, C. Wagner, J. Mull, W. Hurst, R. Schwartz, C. Carey. ROW 5: J. Cole, L. Urbine, D. Henry, K. Paff, C. Gustin, Y. Stuckey, A. Zorger, T. Black, R. Bauman, L. Blough, K. Neuhouser. ROW 6: P. Oddou, K. Kruckeberg, M. Amstutz, C. Henderson, S. Sachen, L. Linn, D. Roth, K. Nelson, A. Thomas, S. Sylvester, J. Yockey. ROW 7: C. Baldwin, K. Sowers, A. Rhonemus, B. DeWitt, V. Pelz, M. Tharp, E. Branson, E. Branson, L. Weilbaker, L. Morgan, M. Garman. ROW 8: Miss Martin, S. Schaefer, P. Stabler, M. Yoder, K. Straughn, C. Komanec, J. Bellinger, S. Tyrell, A. Schwartz.

## *Booster Club Cheers for Victory; Students in Honor Society*

JR. HIGH HONOR SOCIETY: ROW 1: Sponsor, Mr. Hartung, D. Delagrange, J. Ellett, J. Platt, J. Yockey. ROW 2: E. Deventer, M. Schlatter, C. Murray, J. Cole, K. Gehring, B. Bender, K. Sowers. ROW 3: S. Sylvester, L. Urbine, J. Amstutz, B. Klopfesntein, K. Zimmerman, C. Carey, C. Henderson. ROW 4: J. Howland, D. Howard, L. Stoller, T. Crabill, T. Hartigan, D. Roth, D. Wells.

Smear' em! Smash' em! G-o-o Lions! Under the capable direction of Miss Martin, the 73 spirited females joined voices and hearts in cheering the Lions' basketball team on to victory. Club activities included selling flowers, selling booster badges, and getting new outfits.

The Jr. High Honor Society is to identify those students who are outstanding in scholarship, leadership, character, and service.

# *Hard Work and Dedication in Journalism*

In the field of journalism, we have the LION'S TALE staff and the ORACLE staff. Many long, hectic yet rewarding hours are spent in this area. Dedication and devotion are the key words involved in these organizations, with all of the deadlines to meet. Working together, frustration, and a feeling of achievement are all a big part of it.

LION'S TALE STAFF: SEATED: S. Bartle, C. Wahlig, C. Stailey, R. Vendrely, J. Komanec. S. Heim, K. Harris. STANDING: T. Surfus, P. Pape, D. Heim, C. Houck, J. Jessup.

YEARBOOK EDITORS: Margaret Miller, Cindy Sommer, Sponsor: Mrs. Platt.

LION'S TALE EDITORS: Beth Wells, Sponsor: Mrs. Belschner, Jess Yoder.

YEARBOOK STAFF: SEATED: B. Springer, T. Surfus, R. Vendrely, J. Komanec, L. Kinsey. STANDING: D. Shoaff, J. Brown, B. Wells, M. Evans.

Leo High School is very proud of their music department. This section is devoted to those who spent many long, but rewarding hours in practice. Choir, band, and all the music students make up this section of harmony.

# HARMONY

# Marching Music-Makers Make Music

Leo's marching band was seen throughout the year at many activities of the school. Directed by Mr. Leroy McBane, the band performed at the halftimes of home football and basketball games. The band also played at pep sessions.

The marching band represented Leo High in many parades and civic functions as a marching unit.

The band sold fruit cakes as their major money making project. They played at two concerts, one in February and one in April.

Lion Power Band Style

President-
Merle Halter
Staff-
Sondra Baumgartner

Linda Blomberg

Janell Brown

Mr. McBane would be warmer if he were marching, too.

Sophomore Tim Klopfenstein expresses his views on the football field.

MARCHING BAND: ROW 1: R.Schaeffer, C. Gustin.K. Moore, L. Cole, C. Acra, S. Miller, D. Wells, J. Hobson, S. Oddou. ROW 2: N. Crosby, D. Pelz, J. Sauder, D. Behm, L. Beedy, V. Fisher, H. Osborn, D. Johnson, C. Scott, M. Wann, D. Porter. ROW 3: K. Zollinger, D. Rennecker, J. Gustin, C. Hartman, J. Platt, J. Sauder, N. Amstutz, T. Slentz, D. Roth, R. Hartigan, S. Scoville, W. Liechty. ROW 4: J. Cole, L. Blomberg, J. Brown, S. Baumgartner, P. Dean, J. Howland, S. Jones, P. Liechty, J. Reinsch, K. Zimmerman, E. Notestein. ROW 5: M. Schlatter, J. Grieger, J. Amstutz, J. Sauder, D. Laub, T. Klopfenstein, C. Schauer, D. Klopfenstein, K. Lederman, R. Klopfenstein, L. Stuckey, G. Warren, T. Brindle, D. Neuhouser. ROW 6: R. Roberts, T. Hartigan, T. Scoville, S. Noel, M. Federspiel, T. Crabill, T. Yoder, M.Halter, M. Hager, J. Lengacher, B. Miller, M. Heller, D. Peasley

# Drill Squad Entertains at Half-Times

Poise, confidence, and a better attitude toward co-operative teamwork--these are goals set by the marching Drill Squad. Captain Jane Jones and Reserve Captains Debbie Mountz and Hope Osborn work their group toward perfection in performing their routines at football and basketball games, parades, and the state wide drill squad contest. The long hours put in by all the girls paid off in the showmanship and style exhibited in their performances.

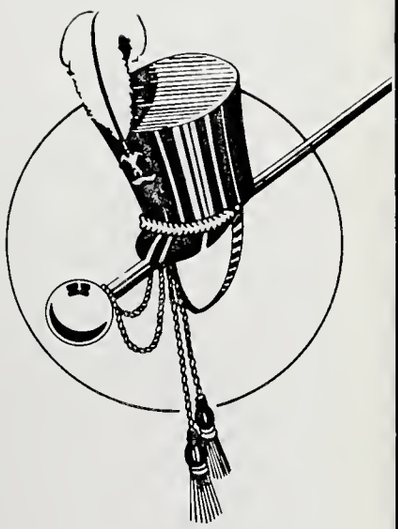
Some of the girls seem to be having difficulty getting it all together.

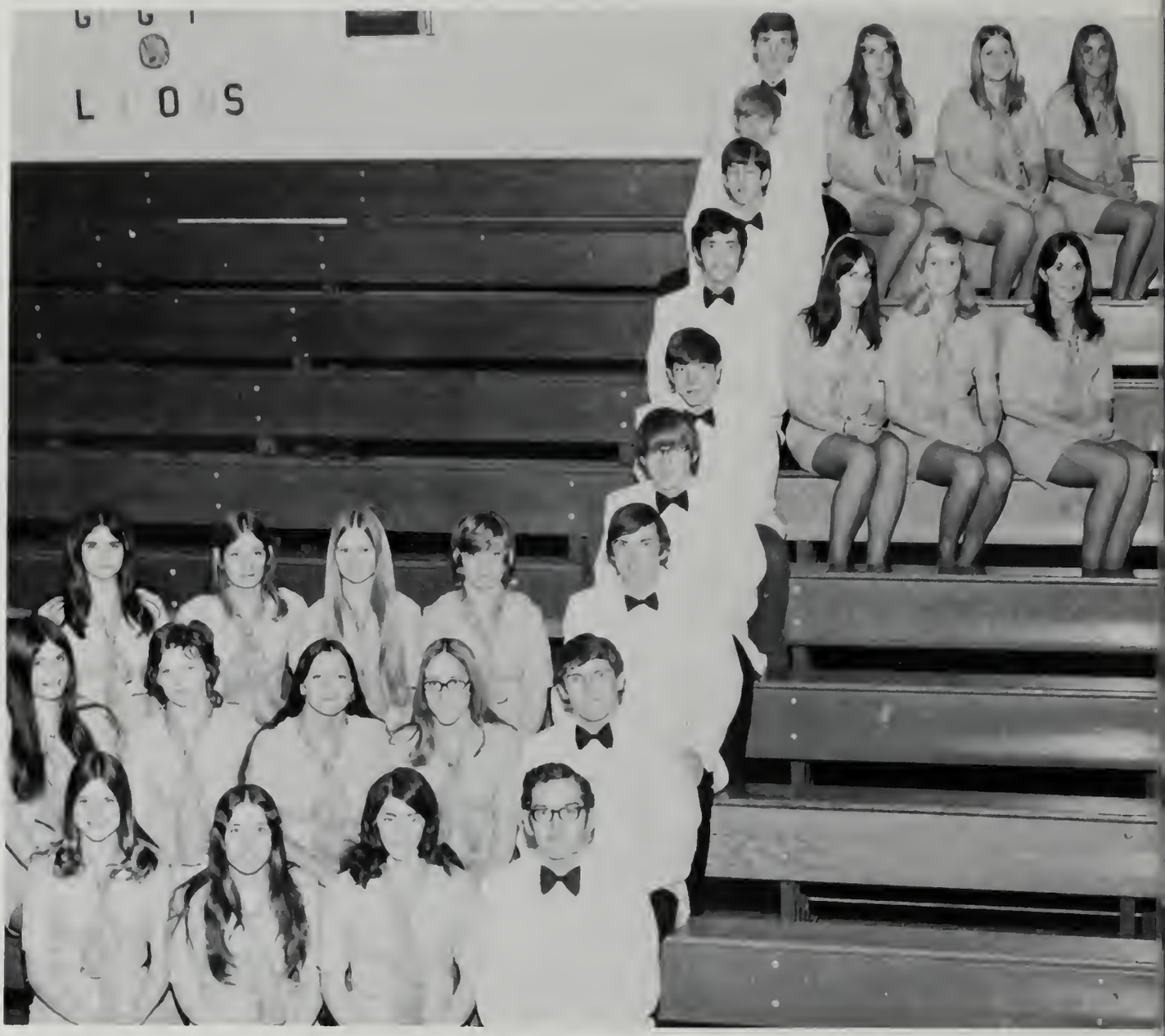
DRILL SQUAD: Captain, J. Jones. ROW 1: G. Morgan, K. Maier, T. Slentz, C. Houck, J. Lochner, L. Weilbaker, D. Mountz, C. Liechty, K. Sowers. ROW 2: P. Sylvester, M. Schwartz. ROW 3: T. Brown, C. Thomas. ROW 4: S. DeWells, D. Johnson. ROW 5: L. VanZile, L. Gehring, L. Nelson, K. Shears, D. Howard, H. Osborn, K. Mires, M. Amstutz, M. Jones, D. Stein, C. Henderson.

Neva Amstutz, Chris Gustin, Sondra Baumgartner, Cindy Acra.

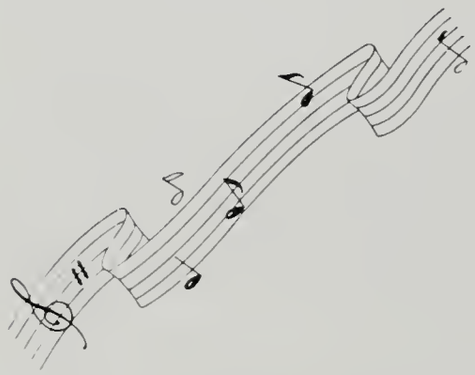
S. Baumgartner, C. Acra, and C. Gustin practicing for their "Toy Soldier" routine.

A lot of practice and effort went into the routines and performances of the majorettes this year. This season the majorettes performed at football games and performed a Toy Soldier routine at the halftime of a varsity basketball game. This past summer the girls attended a six day twirling camp in Kentucky. They received two second place ribbons for their routines, met lots of new people, and had fun.

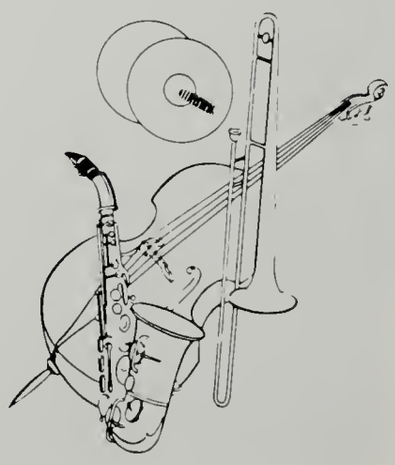





# Concert Choir: Senior High Singers



Concert Choir members receive the self-satisfaction that comes from belonging to a group that performs all types of musical literature before the public, from working together in a disciplined organization, and from discovering within themselves an awareness of musical expression.
The Concert Choir sang at the Christmas program, the Spring Concert, choir contest, as well as church concerts throughout the year.



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1. L. Van Zile
2. J. Jones
3. S. Miller
4. D. Zorger
5. P. Sylvester
6. G. Morgan
7. S. Blotkamp
8. M. Schlatter
9. S. Jones
10. R. Klopfenstein
11. K. Kipfer
12. P. Pape
13. K. Conley
14. D. Stein
15. R. Worman
16. L. Cole
17. J. Hobson
18. D. Herzog
19. M. Grush
20. T. Schlatter
21. J. Liechty
22. D. Kelly
23. K. Maier
24. C. Tyrrell
25. D. Heim
26. T. Kohl
27. C. Hartman
28. K. Zorger
29. C. Thomas
30. J. Amstutz
31. J. Platt
32. D. Rennecker
33. D. Pelz
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36. L. Gehring
37. L. Kinsey
38. G. Delagrange
39. C. Liechty
40. S. Zehr
41. T. Brown
42. A. Schrock
43. L. Nelson
44. J. Lochner
45. N. Amstutz
46. R. Hartigan
47. D. Myers
48. J. Sauder
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50. J. Everett
51. L. Klopfenstein
52. J. Heim
53. P. Dean
54. W. Liechty
55. K. Lederman
56. D. Roth
57. J. Jones
58. T. Surfus
59. R. Means
60. L. Strong
61. J. Kissell

# Choirs and Bands Perform at Leo

In the Varsity Choir students perform before the public, learn to sing various styles of music literature, and try to improve individual vocal technique.

The Stage Band gives the opportunity to students to play the popular stage band music of today.

Members of the Advanced Swing Choir perform highly polished and varied programs.

All of these groups participate in many concerts, contests and special programs throughout the year.

This is a familiar pose for Mrs. Nelson, director of the choir.

VARSITY CHOIR: ROW 1: K. Sowers, D. Johnson, D. Doll. ROW 2: K. Gehring, K. Paff, C. Henderson, J. Cole, L. Augustyniak. ROW 3: C. Liechty, S. Metz, M. Schwartz, C. Wahlig. ROW 4: S. Miller, C. Michael, L. Urbine, C. Gustin, K. Fries. ROW 5: L. Weilbaker, T. Sommer, L. Campbell, M. Jones. ROW 6: K. Mires, M. Amstutz, T. Slentz, J. DeWitt, K. Shears.

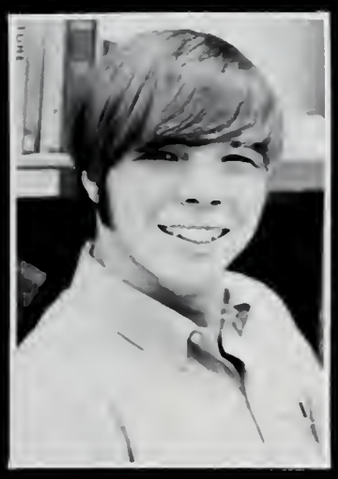
SWING CHOIR: ROW 1: D. Rennecker, P. Dean, G. Morgan, R. Roberts. ROW 2: C. Tyrrell, J. Platt, K. Lederman, D. Zorger, J. Jones, D. Pelz, C. Hartman. ROW 3: D. Herzog, R. Hartigan, L. Gehring, D. Roth, L. Klopfenstein, P. Pape. ROW 4: W. Liechty, R. Klopfenstein, K. Conley, Mrs. Nelson, T. Surfus.

STAGE BAND: ROW 1: T. Slentz, N. Crosby, W. Liechty, S. Scoville, D. Peasley, J. Platt. ROW 2: D. Pelz, J. Sauder, R. Hartigan, N. Amstutz, J. Sauder, D. Rennecker. ROW 3: R. Klopfenstein, C. Schauer, D. Klopfenstein, K. Lederman. ROW 4: K. Yost, T. Hartigan, T. Scoville.

# Jr. High Band and Choir

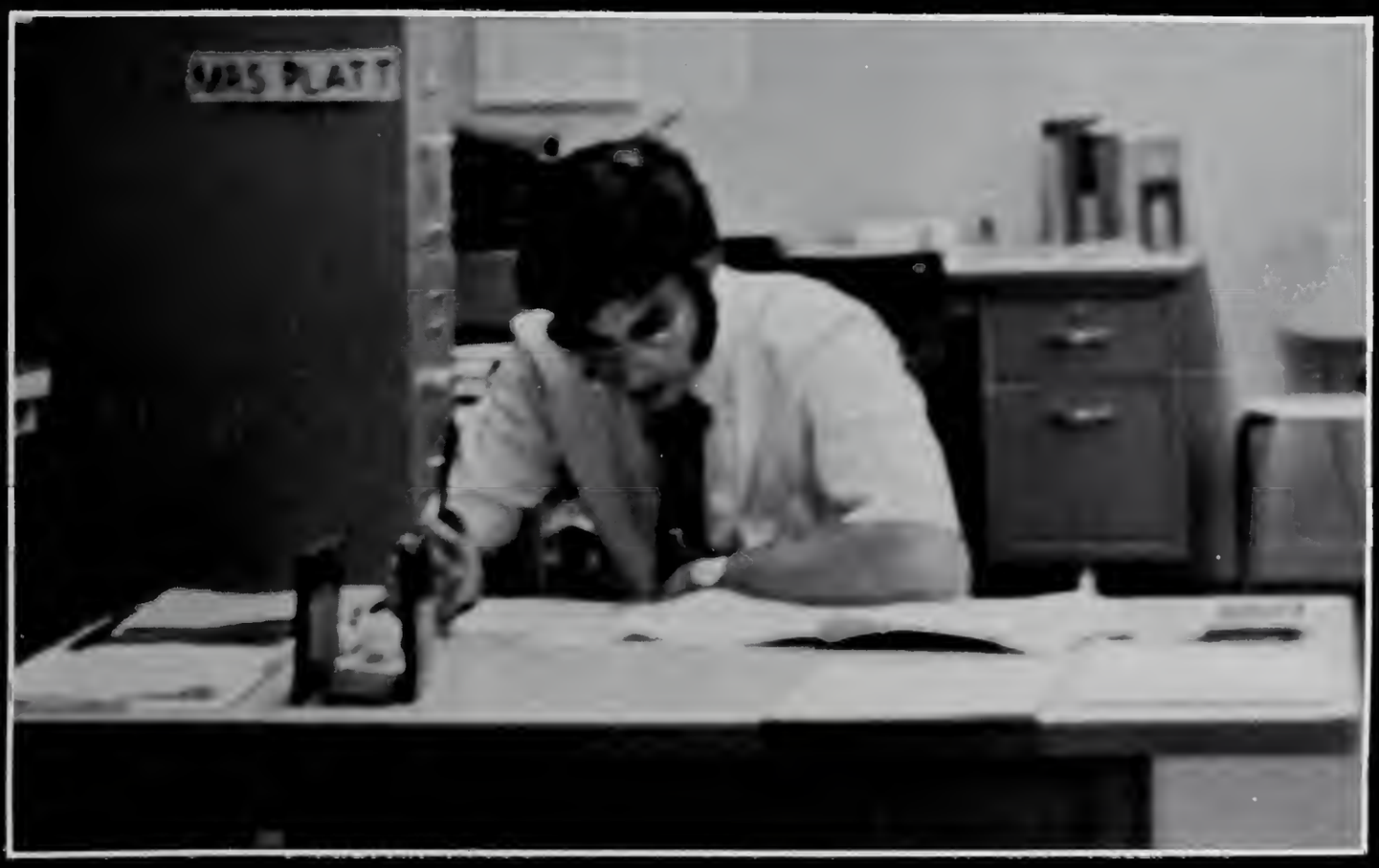
JR. HIGH BAND: ROW 1: Majorettes; P. Dwyer, C. Wagner, J. Dean, D. Fitzcharles, K. Newhouser. ROW 2: J. Jensen, S. Notestein, J. Yockey, H. Peasley, C. Liechty, M. Tharp, D. Porter, K. Wells, A. Schwartz. ROW 3: L. Morgan, G. Amstutz, N. DeWitt, S. Tyrrell, M. Downing, D. Crosby, S. Lantz, M. Heller, R. Klopfenstein, S. Kryder. ROW 4: D. Pontius, B. Cole, M. Fries, R. Acra, P. Johnson, M. Driver, R. Poisel, C. Stailey, J. Platt. ROW 5: D. Rennecker, D. Grieger, B. Klopfenstein, K. Steury, J. Stuckey, J. Hursh, J. Herzog, K. Yost.

JUNIOR HIGH CHOIR



This section is devoted to those who have become such a genuine part of Leo High School, those who gave us inspiration and guided us toward a brighter future. The cooks, teachers, janitors, bus drivers, and paraprofessionals are all part of the "establishment."

# ESTABLISHMENT



Principal: Loren Jones.

Assistant Principal: Edmund Zapp.

# Administration

Taking time from their busy schedule, Mr. Jones and Mr. Zapp try to iron out the problems created by individualized scheduling.

The school Board, although it is not seen by the students in everyday school life, is the guiding force by which our school functions.

SEATED: Superintendent: Dr. Richard Miller, R. Hartigan, C. Schmidt, T. Kurtz. STANDING: K. Guillaume, K. Mendenhall, N. Hoeppner, M. Gerig.

# Teachers Fill Many Roles

Rita Ballentine, Foreign Language Arts
Mary Baumgartner, Health, Fitness, and Recreation
Kathryn Belschner, Language Arts
Kathryn Bowman, Foreign Language Arts

Lyle Butler, Social Studies
Ronald Divelbiss, Science
Jerry Freeze, Fine Arts
Harlan Frick, Health, Fitness, and Recreation

Steve Gabet, Social Studies
Stanley Garman, Mathematics
Patricia Gillett, Language Arts
Richard Hartung, Science

Waldemar Heller, Practical Arts
Virigia Jones, Language Arts
Susan Martin, Librarian
Leroy McBane, Fine Arts

Mildred Mumma, Practical Arts
Susan Nelson, Fine Arts
Ronald Noyer, Science
Arnold Oetting, Practical Arts

Carolyn Platt, Language Arts
Halden Platt, Social Studies
Allen Schlatter, Social Studies
Thomas Snider, Fine Arts

Thomas Steinhouser, Mathematics
Philip Stuckey, Practical Arts
Shirley Volkert, Practical Arts
Robert Walton, Mathematics

Mary Weick, Language Arts
Pictured elsewhere: Arnold Moser, Herbert Stuelpe, and JoAnne Harrah.

Secretary: Jane Cowan

Secretary: Helen Garman

# Secretaries; Professional Counselors

Neither phone calls, coffee breaks, nor fire drills can stop the dedicated Leo High office secretaries from getting their work done. Mrs. Harrah and Mr. Moser assist students with their class schedules and guide them toward a brighter future.

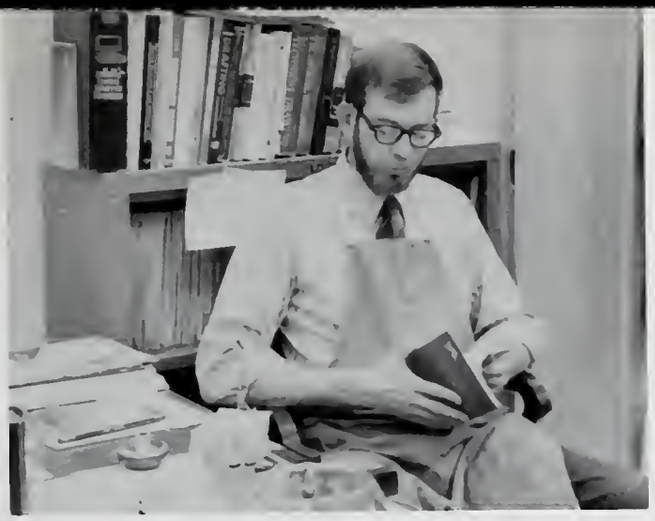
Secretary: Miriam Jones

Guidance Counselor: Arnold Moser

Guidance Counselor Joanne Harrah

# Helpers Unite

One of most important jobs in Leo High School is that of the paraprofessionals, shown at the bottom, and the general aides.



Mr. Stuelpe, the head of the audio-visual department, directed Leo's photographers, film-making activities, and use of audio visual equipment.

Herbert Stuelpe, A.V. Department Director.

General Aid: Miss Delagrange.

General Aid: Mrs. Amstutz.

ROW 1: S. Yockey, V. Hunt, J. Sylvester, H. Hobson, B. Rosselet. ROW 2: B. Howland, L. Johnson, D. Short, P. Henderson, R. Royer, R. Branson, B. Evanston. ROW 3: D. Christman, D. Garman, M. Vendrely, L. Delagrange, L. Butler, G. Sauder, G. Roth.

# Non-Teaching Staff Keeps School Going

C. Ream, H. Leichty, M. Shoudel, L. Hager, M. Acra, G. Chaney, M. Eubank.

To the cooks it's pots and pans...hot rolls and butter ...forty-five cents...a la carte line...600 meals a day.

Mrs. Eubank, cuts pie for the a la carte line.

1ST ROW: Dave Stuckey, P. Gardner, J. Wisniewski, L. Klophenstein,
2ND ROW: P. Liechty, M. Clifton, Dale Stuckey, M. Ream, W. Bellinger, D. Porter.

V. Koch, H. Nusbaum, N. Messman, J. Koeneman.

The Class of 1972 made their last year at Leo High School an active one. They brought honor to our school through sports, music, and other organizations.

# GRADUATES

# Senior Year Is Special

Sincere
Exuberant
Nostalgic
Idealistic
Optimistic
Restless
Sentimental

Seniors at last . . . and four years of the joys, frustrations, and heartaches of high school come to an end in one fleeting year. The proms, the games, the dances--all will soon be in the past, climaxed by the memory of that final year. The senior year is something special.

Class Officers: Dennis Zorger, V. Pres.; Tom Yoder, Pres.; Dave Klopfenstein, Treas.; Sue Oddou, Sec.

Neva Jane Amstutz
Sandra Lynn Augustyniak
Sherry Lyn Bartle

Sondra Kay Baumgartner
Pamela Sue Bertsch
Rhonda Gail Bowser

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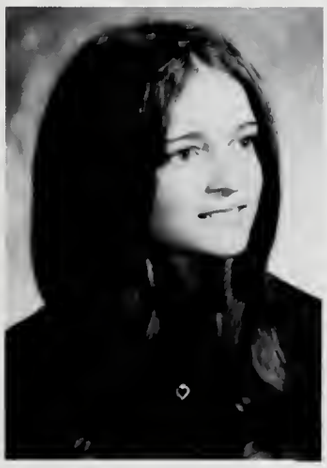
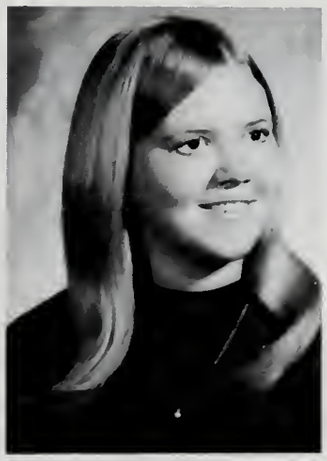
Gary Lynn Brown
Jay Dean Butler



Jyl Dianne Butler
Karen Sue Conley
Nannette Kay Crosby



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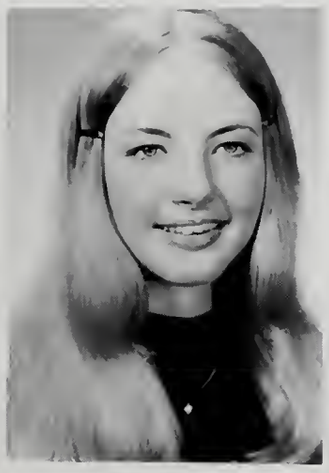
Patricia Ann Dean
David Lee DeHaven



Grace Lois Delagrange
Deborah Ann Deventer
James Conrad Erne

Pamela Kaye Galuoppo
Mark Sheldon Gerig
Michael John Grush

Mark Edward Hager
Merle David Halter
David Wayne Heim

Sally Ann Hobrock
Connie Ann Houck
Theodore Albert Hunt

Jess Lee Jessup
Jane Ann Jones
Linda Kinsey

David Arnold Klopfenstein
Susan Kay Klug
Janette Nadine Komanec

Michael Allen Lederman
Brent Lynn Leichty
Lawrence W. Lengacher

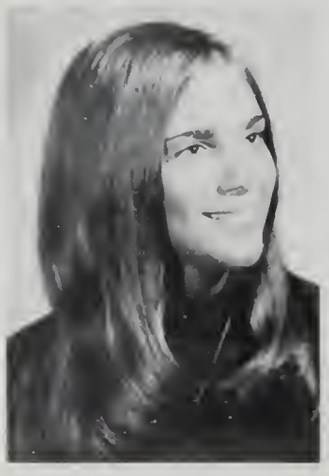
Sue Oddou looks unusually worried about the outcome of a County Tourney game.

Ernie Stoller listens carefully to Sen. Birch Bayh.

Tim Minnick goes for an easy lay-up.

Artist Merle Halter puts on the finishing touches.

Michael Alan Lengacher
Steven Jay Lengacher
Roberta Arlene Liechty



Wendy Sue Liechty
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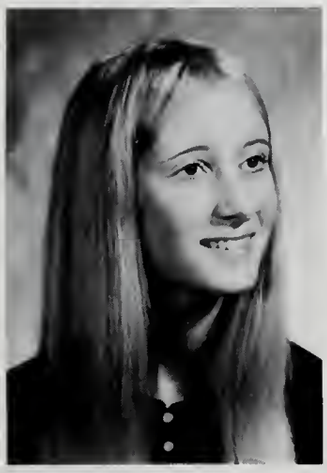
Timothy Jay Michael
Bonita (Kirk) Minnick

Timothy Ray Minnick
Linda Mary Muller
Glen William Noble



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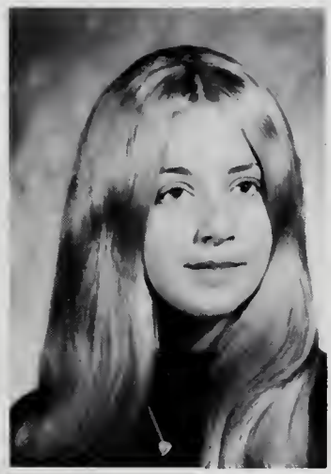

Mark Alan Peterson
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Tamara Kay Pursley

James Lee Roth
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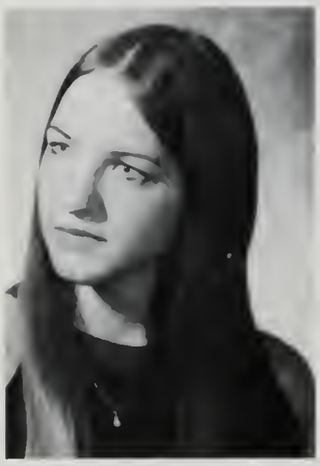
Jerry Wayne Shears



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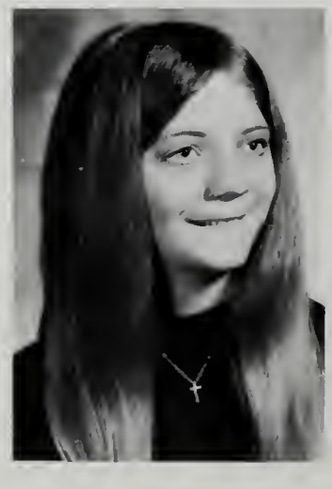


Frank Wade Stuckey
Joe Alan Tharp
Bonnie (LaRowe) Tonkel

Mickey Dwain Tonkel
Renee Louise Vendrely
Robert Eugene Waikel 11

Bradley Lee Witte
Rex William Worman
Jesse Lynn Yoder

Glen Noble takes a well-deserved rest.

Dennis Zorger and Mike Lederman get tips from Mr. Walton.

Thomas Allen Yoder
Shelley Lynn Zachary
Dennis Dean Zorger

# Seniors Tour

The senior class's three-day trip to Washington, D. C., occurred in April. Traveling by Greyhound Bus, they toured the historical sites of the capital.

Tired? It's only the beginning of the tour.

Capitol Building in Washington D. C.

Smile and say cheese.

A close view of the Washington Monument.

Where do we go from here?!

View of the Washington Monument from the Lincoln Memorial

What are you squinting at this time, Sondra?

# Washington, D. C.

A picture of the entire group? Maybe!

Hugging another statue?

Changing of the guards at Arlington Cemetery

Goofing off again?

NEVA JANE AMSTUTZ
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; FTA 2, 3, 4; AV 1; Majorette 2, 3, 4.
SANDRA LYNN AUGUSTYNIAK
GAA 3, 4; Booster Club 3; Service Club 4; Annual 3; Transferred from South Side.
SHERRY LYN BARTLE
Varsity Band 1, 2; Choir 1; Honor Society 1; NFL 3, 4; Annual 3; Newspaper 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Campus Life 3.
SONDRA KAY BAUMGARTNER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2; Concert Choir 1; Drill Squad 1; Student Council 1; FTA 1, 2; Service Club 4; Annual 4; Newspaper 4; Majorette 1, 2, 3, 4.
PAMELA SUE BERTSCH
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Band 1, 2, 3.
TERRY LEE BRINDLE
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 1, 2, 3.
GARY LYNN BROWN
Concert Choir 1; Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4.
JAY DEAN BUTLER
Track 1, 2; Campus Life 1.
JYL DIANNE BUTLER
GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 1.
KAREN SUE CONLEY
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 3, 4; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; Newspaper 1, 2, 3.
NANNETTE KAY CROSBY
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 1; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Reserve Cheerleader 1, 2; Varsity Cheerleader 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Honor Society Officer 4; FTA 2; Class Officer 1; Girls' State Delegate 4.
PATRICIA ANN DEAN
Varsity Band 2, 3; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 3, 4; Booster Club 1; Honor Society 1, 4; FTA 2; Campus Life 1; Meltones 1, 2, 3, 4.
DAVID LEE DeHAVEN
Cross Country 3, 4; Golf 2, 3; Football 1; Baseball 1; Lettermen's Club 3, 4; Sportsman's Club 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3.
GRACE LOIS DELAGRANGE
Concert Choir 2, 3; GAA 3, 4; Booster Club 2, 3, 4; Reserve Cheerleader 3; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 2; Service Club 3, 4; Librarian's Club 1; Campus Life 1.
DEBORAH ANN DEVENTER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Band 1, 2, 3; Concert Choir 1; GAA 1; Reserve Cheerleader 1, 2; Drill Squad 1; FTA 1; Office Messenger 4; Majorette 1; Head Majorette 2, 3.
JAMES CONRAD ERNE
Football 3; Hi-Y 2; Sportsman's Club 3; Newspaper 2; Campus Life 3, 4; Boy's Cheer Block 2.
PAMELA KAYE GALUOPPO
GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3; Librarian's Club 1, 2; Dramatic's Club 1; Campus Life 1, 2; Girl's State Alternate 4.
WILLIAM LEE GEHRING
Sportsmen's Club 1, 2, 3; Chess Club 1, 2, 3.
MARK SHELDON GERIG
Concert Choir 1; Hi-Y 3; Honor Society 1.
MICHAEL JOHN GRUSH
Concert Choir 1, 2, 4; AV 2, 3, 4; Annual 4; Campus Life 3.
MARK EDWARD HAGAR
Student Mgr. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 2, 3.
MERLE DAVID HALTER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 2, 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3.
DAVID WAYNE HEIM
Concert Choir 4; Basketball 1, 2; Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Campus Life 1.
SALLY ANN HOBROCK
Concert Choir 1, 2; Varsity Band 1, 2; GAA 3; Drill Squad 1; Librarian's Club 1, 2, 3; Newspaper 1.
CONNIE ANN HOUCK
Varsity Band 1; Concert Choir 1; Drill Squad 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 1, 4; FTA 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Club 3.
THEODORE ALBERT HUNT
Cross Country 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Service Club 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3; Chess Club 2.
JESS LEE JESSUP
Football 2, 3; Hi-Y 3, Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Honor Society 4; Newspaper 4; Chess Club 2.
JANE ANN JONES
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 2, 3, 4; GAA 1, 2, 3; Booster Club 1, 2, 3; Reserve Cheerleader 1, 2; Drill Squad 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; FTA 1; NFL 1; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4.
LINDA KINSEY
Concert Choir 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4; FTA 2; Annual 4.
DAVID ARNOLD KLOPFENSTEIN
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 3, 4; Concert Choir 1; Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Student Council Officer 4; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4; Campus Life 2; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; YAF 1.
SUSAN KAY KLUG
Varsity Band 1; FTA 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 3.
JANETTE NADINE KOMANEC
Booster Club 2; Service Club 3, 4; Librarian's Club 1, 2; Annual 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1; Campus Life 2, 3, 4.
MICHAEL ALLEN LEDERMAN
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Honor Society 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society Officer 2; Class Officer 1, 2, 3.
BRENT LYNN LEICHTY
Cross Country 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4.
LAWRENCE W. LENGACHER
Football 2; Lettermen's Club 1; Sportsman's Club 1, 2; AV 1, 2, 3, 4.
MICHAEL ALAN LENGACHER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; Football 1; Student Council 4; Dramatics Club 3; Campus Life 1, 2, 3.
STEVEN JAY LENGACHER
Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter-

men's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sportsman's Club 2, 3; Student Council 2; Honor Society 1.

ROBERTA ARLENE LIECHTY
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 1; FHA 2, 3, 4; Drill Squad 1; Service Club 3; Newspaper 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3.

WENDY SUE LIECHTY
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Band 1, 2, 4; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Swing Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; GAA 1, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Reserve Cheerleader 2; Varsity Cheerleader 3, 4; Student Council 2; Four of a Kind 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOELLEN LOCHNER
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Drill Squad 2, 3, 4; FTA 3, 4; FHA 2.

JAMES PHILLIP MATZ
Football 1, 2, 3; Track 2; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 2, 3, 4; Euchre Club 4.

RITA SUE MEANS
Concert Choir 1, 3, 4; Librarians Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4; FHA 2, 3, 4; HSLA.

TIMOTHY JAY MICHAEL
Concert Choir 1; Sportsman's Club 3.

BONITA (KIRK) MINNICK
Concert Choir 1, 2; Booster Club 1; FTA 2; Newspaper 1.

TIMOTHY RAY MINNICK
Concert Choir 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 1, 2; Football 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; Euchre Club 4.

LINDA MARY MULLER
Concert Choir 2; FHA 2, 3, 4.

DAVID LYNN MURRAY
Sportsman's Club 3.

GLEN WILLIAM NOBLE
Concert Choir 4; Football 4; Lettermen's Club 4; Sportsman's Club 4; Newspaper 4; Campus Life 4; Transferred from East Noble.

SUE ANN ODDOU
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Reserve Cheerleader 2, 3; Varsity Cheerleader 4; Drill Squad 1, 2, 3; Honor Society 1, 3, 4; Honor Society Officer 1; Class Officer 2, 3, 4.

PATRICIA ANN PAPE
Concert Choir 1, 2; Swing Choir 3, 4; GAA 2, 3; Drill Squad 2, 3; Newspaper 1; Dramatics Club 1.

PHYLLIS LYNN PETERS
Newspaper 4; FHA 2, 3, 4.

DIANA SUE PORTER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; Concert Choir 1; Librarians Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4; ISMA 1, 2, 3, 4; ISMA Officer 4.

TAMARA KAY PURSLEY
Booster Club 1; Campus Life 2, 3; FHA 4.

JAMES LEE ROTH
Varsity Band 1, 2; Concert Choir 1, 2; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4.

JULIE ANN SCHAEFER
GAA 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Librarians Club 1, 2, 3, 4; HSLA Vice President; ISMA President.

TARRY VAUGHN SCOVILLE
Stage Band 4; Sportsman's Club 4; Transferred from Snider.

JERRY WAYNE SHEARS
Varsity Band 1, 2; Cross Country 1; Football 1; Sportsman's Club 1; AV 1; Chess Club 1.

CAROLYN (MIRES) SHELTON
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; GAA 1, Drill Squad 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 1, 2, 3.

RICK LYNN SHELTON
Sportsman's Club 2.

BARBARA SUE SPRINGER
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; Honor Society 1, 3, 4; Service Club 3, 4.

ROGER DALE STOLL
Sportsman's Club 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 2, 3.

ERNEST DAVID STOLLER
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; Swing Choir 3; Baseball 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2; Hi-Y 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Student Council Officer 4; Honor Society 1, 4; Honor Society Officer 1; Class Officer 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 3; YAF 1.

LORA LEE STRONG
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 1, 2; Librarian's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual 2, 3; Campus Life 3, 4;

FRANK WADE STUCKEY
Track 1; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 1.

JOE ALAN THARP
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; Swing Choir 1, 3; Basketball 1, 2; Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 1, 3, 4; Honor Society Officer 4; Class Officer 1; Boy's State Delegate 4.

BONNIE (LaROWE) TONKEL
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3; FHA 2, 3.

MICKEY DWAIN TONKEL
Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

RENEE LOUISE VENDRELY
GAA 1, 2, 3, 4; Booster Club 3, 4; Service Club 3, 4; Annual 4; Newspaper 4.

ROBERT EUGENE WAIKEL II
Concert Choir 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Student Manager 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; AV 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Service Club 1; Chess Club 1.

CAROLYN ANN WALTERS
Librarian's Club 1.

BRADLEY LEE WITTE
Sportsman's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Life 1, 2, 3, 4.

REX WILLIAM WORMAN
Concert Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 2; Euchre Club 4.

JESSE LYNN YODER
Hi-Y 3; Newspaper 4.

THOMAS ALLEN YODER
Varsity Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Choir 1, 2, 3; Swing Choir 1, 2, 3; Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Lettermen's Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4; Student Council Officer 4; Class Officer 3, 4; Student Manager 3, 4.

DENNIS DEAN ZORGER
Concert Choir 3, 4; Swing Choir 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3; Lettermen's Club 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Student Council Officer 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Honor Society Officer 4; Class Officer 4; Boy's State Alternate 4.

# Selected Seniors

Most Sophisticated--Nan Crosby and Joe Tharp

Best Personality--Dennis Zorger and Grace Delagrange

Most Athletic--Jyl Butler and Tim Minnick

Shyest--Mark Peterson and Shelly Zachary

Wittiest--Patty Pape and Mike Lengacher

Best Dressed--Tim Michael and Pam Bertsch

Here at Leo competition is more than just winning. It's hard work, dedication, hours of practice, and that little extra effort that pays off in victory.

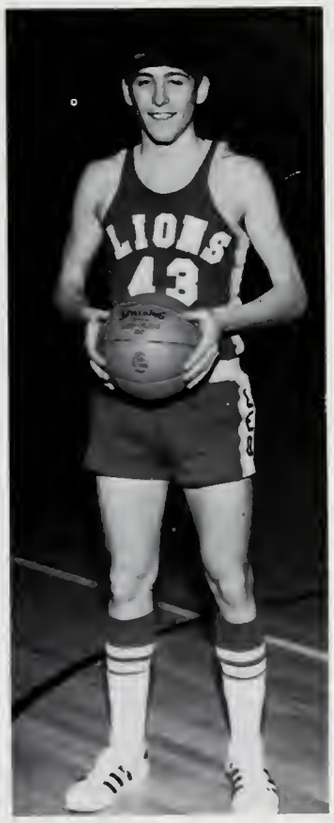
# COMPETITION

1972 Allen County Champions

# Basketball Seniors

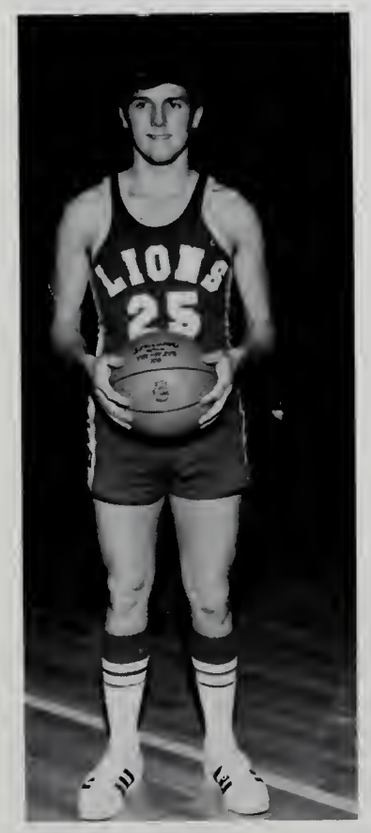
Mick Tonkel

Tim Minnick

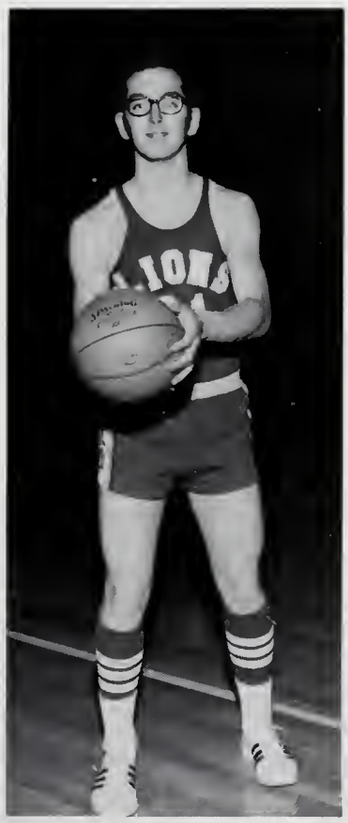



Mike Lederman

Rex Worman




Dennis Zorger



Whether it be Mick, Tim, Mike, Rex, or Dennis, each one of these boys did an excellent job in basketball this year.
These Seniors gave their time, hard work, and enthusiasm to make Leo's Varsity Team one of the best in the county. Their effort was a team effort. Either in scoring points or making plays, they always worked for the welfare of the team.

# Men Work Hard for Victories

Rod Burgess, Ron Bollier, Loren Klopfenstein.

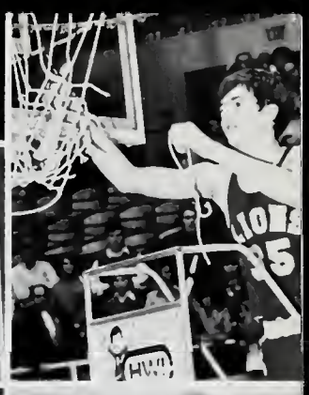
Rollie Minnick, Greg Platt

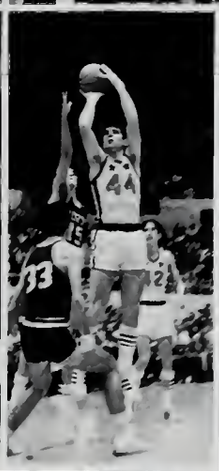
Coach Platt, Coach Frick

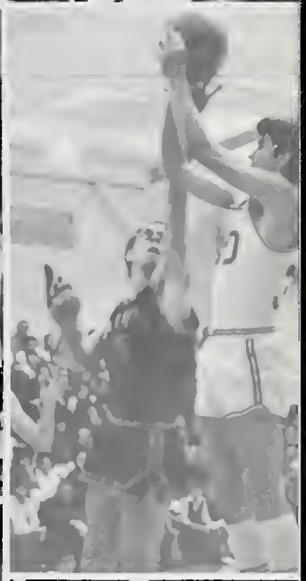
Randy Zuber, Gene Cowan, Galen Beachy

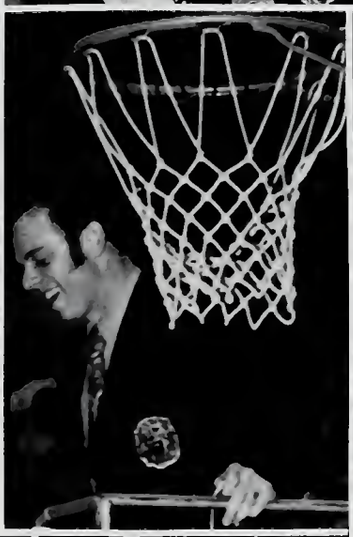
Team Managers: Bob Waikel, Mark Hager, Tom Yoder

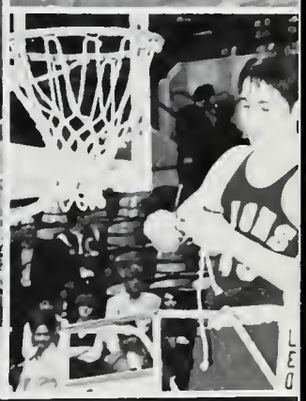
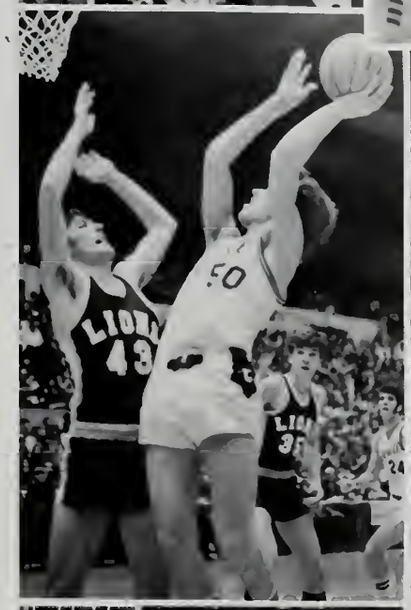
# Basketball Highlights

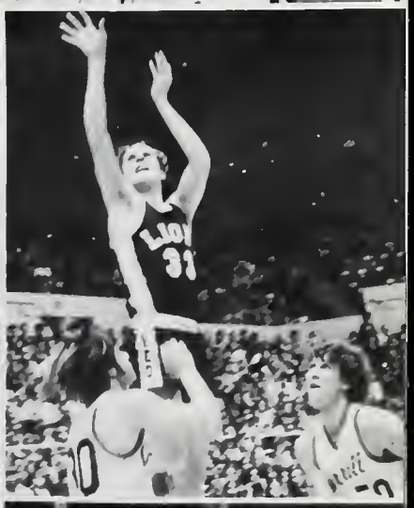








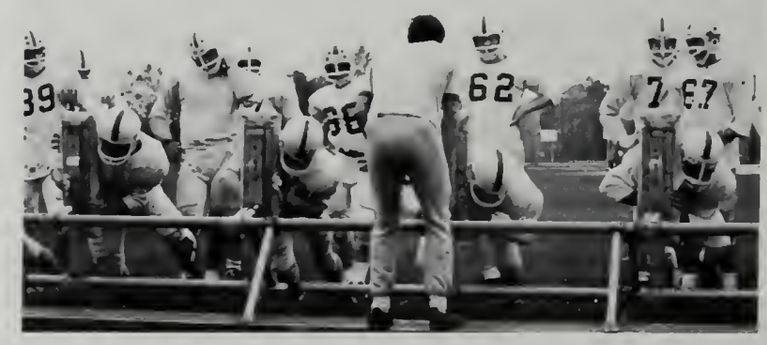


# Varsity Football

VARSITY FOOTBALL ROW 1: D. Greer, S. Lengacher, J. Greer, G. Noble, R. Hartigan, D. Porter, R. Zuber, R. Chapman. ROW 2: Managers K. Lederman, R. Burns, J. Kissell, M. Pick, B. Waikel, R. Worman, M. Carey, G. Coyle, D. Myers. ROW 3: Coach Walton, G. Brown, D. Zorger, T. Minnick, E. Stoller, R. Burgess, C. Carper, D. Klopfenstein, Coach Gabet. ROW 4: R. Christman, M. Lederman, L. Klopfenstein, J. Lee, R. Bollier, M. Hager, E. Surface.

Leo's Varsity Football team finished their season with a 7-2 record. They were also co-champions of the ACAC North Division. Some of the team leaders were Mike Lederman with total yards: 1135 yards receiving, Ron Bollier with 710 yards; and Steve Lengacher with 676 yards rushing. The team also had an outstanding record of total points. Leading in this field were Steve Lengacher with 60 points; Ron Bollier, 58 points; Randy Zuber, 58 points; and Mike Lederman, 56 points. All in all the team had a very productive year.

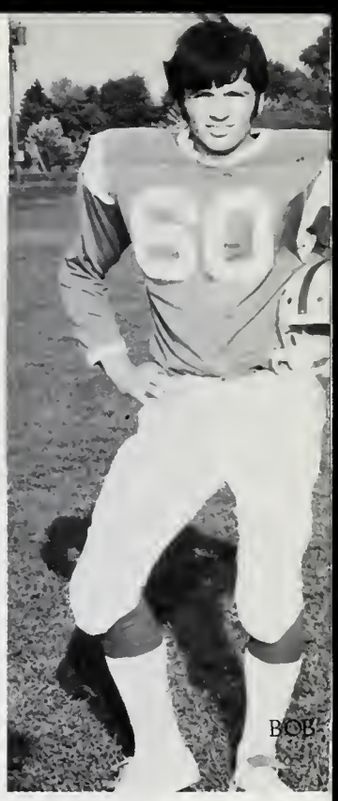
The football team would be lost without their water-boy, Kent Lederman.



Even Mr. Gabet can't win when the odds are twelve to one.

# Football Seniors

Many of these Senior players have been involved in football throughout their high school years. They have worked many long hours in making Leo's football team one of the best in the area.



# Reserve Basketball and Football

RESERVE BASKETBALL: Coach Platt, L. Delagrange, G. Black, G. Platt, J. Kipfer, G. Beachy, E. Surface, R. Gernhardt, G. Cowan, R. Minnick, T. Klopfenstein, K. Culler, G. Coyle, F. McNiece, D. Beachy, Managers, K. Lederman, G. Liechty.

This year's Reserve Basketball team tied the best record in eight years with a year-end total of 15 wins and 5 losses. Leading scorers were Greg Platt with 298 points, and Rollie Minnick with 184 points. Leading rebounders were Rollie Minnick, 174; and Gene Cowan, 150.

Leo's Reserve Football team worked many long hours perfecting their football talents preparing for their Varsity years in football. Their record for the season was 3 wins, 4 losses, and 1 tie.

RESERVE FOOTBALL: ROW 1: Coach Platt, J. Hurst, T. Miles, K. Zimmerman, R. Beedy, Coach Schlatter. ROW 2: K. Weilbaker, M. Augustyniak, D. Peasley, M.Heller, K. Souder, C. Chapman, S. Kipfer, ROW 3: B. Myers, D. Miller, L. Jessup, F. McNeice, R. Roberts, J. Lengacher. ROW 4: T. Crabill, G. Coyle, M. Pick, S. Noel, C. Schauer, J. Kipfer, D. Butler.

# Baseball and Volleyball Teams

VARSITY BASEBALL: ROW 1: T. Minnick, M. Tonkel, D. Zorger, B. Waikel, R. Worman, R. Burns. ROW 2: G. Cowan, R. Minnick, R. Bollier, M. Lederman, M. Carey, R. Zuber. ROW 3: Coach Frick, G. Platt, M. Hager, E. Stoller, E. Surface.

Leo's Baseball team had a very impressive season. A combination of hard work, desire, and enthusiasm paid off with a record of 8 wins and only one loss. They captured the ACAC Championship and breezed through the Sectional with a swinging victory. Ron Bollier and Tim Minnick set a new home run record of 7. Mike Lederman and Tim Minnick were named to the ACAC all star team.

The Varsity Volleyball once again proved their superiority as they wound up the season with a record of 6 wins and 2 loses. The talented team had to share the title for 1st in a 3-way tie in season play. They received 3rd place in the tourney and in the ACAC.

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL: ROW 1: T. Minnick, M. Tonkel, T. Klopfenstein, G. Platt, M. Schlatter. ROW 2: J. Tharp, A. Latz, L. Slater, Coach Stuckey. ROW 3: J. Tonkel, G. Cowan, R. Minnick, L. Delagrange, K. Graber.

# Track

ROW 1: M. Tonkel, E. Notestine, L. Leighty, R. Schoeneman. ROW 2: M. Carey, V. Tonkel, G. Brown, R. Zuber, C. Chapman, R. Hartigan, D. Greer. ROW 3: Coach Steinhauser, R. Gernhardt, T. Minnick, D. Heim, M. Lederman, R. Burgess, C. Carper, E. Surfus, Coach Walton.

Coach Walton instructing his troups.

# Cross Country and Golf

K. Wells, E. Notestine, B. Liechty, D. Dehaven, D. Heim, M. Tonkel, Mr. Divelbiss, J. Tharp, H. Labrosse, T. Yoder, L. Leichty, S. Heath, B. Bender.

ROW 1: S. Jones, L. Kruse, M. Sauder, F. McNeice, K. Lederman, ROW 2: G. Platt, J. Platt, T. Klopfenstein, K. Culler, D. Klopfenstein, Mr. Platt.

# Junior High Football

EIGHTH GRADE: ROW 1: T. Black, J. Heim, N. Tonkel, J. Platt, M. Lengacher, S. Kryder, D. Gerke, R. Acra. ROW 2: M. Fries, C. Beachy, G. Maier, K. Pelz, D. Hager, J. Yoder, D. West, D. Hankey, D. Lyon. ROW 3: D. Delagrange, C. DeWells, R. Warner, C. Bender, G. Roberts, C. Carey, P. Jones, F. Hursh, J. Yoder, Coach Steinhauser. ROW 4: B. Burgess, P. Bollier, R. Gerke, L. Stoller, K. Butler, K. Harris, R. Gerig, G. Wetzel, K. York.

The Eighth Grade football team had an outstanding season with a record of 4 wins and 1 loss. Best offensive player was R. Gerig, and best defensive player was G. Wetzel. The Seventh Grade's season wasn't as successful. They are looking forward to a good season next year.

SEVENTH GRADE: ROW 1: M. Croteau, T. Gerig, D. Greiger, R. Sommer, T. Horn, N. Beachy. ROW 2: K. Miller, C. York, P. Augustyniak, B. Cole, S. Michael, R. Poisel, D. Kissell, K. Fries. ROW 3: V. Kipfer, K. Steury, D. Stuckey, M. Heller, K. Yost, P. Johnson, M. Wisniewski, S. Schlatter. ROW 4: Coach Freeze, D. Dwyer, M. Dunfee, S. Liechty, T. Morrical, D. Crosby, J. Stuckey.

# Cheerleaders in Action

Freshman cheerleaders: S. Liechty, D. Henry, J. Sauder

Eighth grade cheerleaders: A. Thomas, P. Oddou, S. Sylvester, J. Kitzmiller

D. Straughn and D. Hankey watch the Lions.

Lion Might is Out of Sight

Happiness is: Introducing the Team

Reactions after Tournament Victory

# Reserve Cheerleaders

S. Scoville, K. Miller, S. Zehr, D. Straughn, D. Hankey.

S. Scoville stands as part of a group formation.

3, 2, 1, Blast off!

The agony of defeat is seen in S. Zehr's face.

WENDY

KAREN

DEBBIE

# Varsity Cheerleaders

W. Liechty, N. Crosby, S. Oddou, D. Kelly, K. Lederman

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## VARSITY BASKETBALL

| LEO | | OPPONENTS |
|---|---|---|
| 88 | Southern Wells | 76 |
| 82 | Dwenger | 44 |
| 86 | Eastside | 47 |
| 91 | Pr. Heights | 55 |
| 67 | Norwell | 44 |
| 79 | Whitko | 47 |
| 69 | Woodlan | 55 |
| 91 | Hamilton | 61 |
| 67 | Churubusco | 42 |
| 71 | Dekalb | 74 |
| 79 | Carroll | 54 |
| | COUNTY TOURNEY | |
| 63 | Woodlan (1) | 61 |
| 70 | Carroll (2) | 62 |
| 78 | Heritage (3) | 61 |
| 79 | Central Noble | 63 |
| 85 | Angola | 63 |
| 69 | Heritage | 56 |
| 106 | Ad. Central | 62 |
| 101 | Homestead | 64 |
| 86 | New Haven | 72 |
| 117 | Bellmont | 75 |
| | SECTIONAL | |
| 83 | Homestead (1) | 70 |
| 58 | Carroll (2) | 57 |
| 73 | North Side (3) | 85 |

GOALS ACHIEVED FOR 1971-1972 SEASON
ACAC County Tourney Champs
ACAC Champs: Record 9-0
Sectional Finalists.
RATED 12TH IN STATE: ASSOCIATED PRESS
Honorary Captain: Tim Minnick
All-Conference Team: Mike Lederman, Ron Bollier, and Tim Minnick.
ALL-SECTIONAL TEAM: MIKE LEDERMAN, TIM MINNICK.
INDIVIDUAL RECORDS
MIKE LEDERMAN: Allen County all-time leading scorer: 1297 pts. ACAC Basketball Conference most valuable player. Honorable mention all state. Most assists: 151.
TIM MINNICK: High school career total points: 1151. Best free throw percentage-.771%. 10 all-conference awards received in sports.
RON BOLLIER: Best Field goal percentage-.534%. Most rebounds-226.

## VARSITY FOOTBALL

| LEO | | OPPONENT |
|---|---|---|
| 19 | Jamboree | 0 |
| 44 | Parire Heights | 12 |
| 34 | Lakeland | 6 |
| 48 | Southern Wells | |
| 28 | Churubusco | 0 |
| 24 | Norwell | 7 |
| 41 | Carroll | 0 |
| 6 | Heritage | 42 |
| 16 | Woodlan | 20 |
| 33 | Eastside | 0 |

Record: 7 wins, 2 losses.
Captain: Mike Lederman
All Conference:
Linebacker: Steve Lengacher
Offensive Back: Mike Lederman
Offensive Line: Ron Bollier
Most Valuable Player: Mike Lederman.
Honorary Captain: Steve Lengacher.
Offensive Lineman: Ron Bollier.
Offensive Back: Mike Lederman.
Defensive Lineman: Rick Christman.
Defensive Back: Steve Lengacher.

## GOLF

| LEO | | OPPONENTS |
|---|---|---|
| 226 | Bellmont | 218 |
| 206 | Woodlan | 209 |
| 216 | Adams Central | 243 |
| 213 | Heritage | 228 |
| 227 | East Noble | 219 |
| 180 | Central Noble | 187 |
| 215 | Bishop Dwenger | 207 |
| 221 | Hamilton | 223 |
| 221 | Woodlan- | 226 |
| | Eastside | 227 |
| 225 | Columbia City | 220 |
| 217 | Heritage- | 217 |
| | Homestead | 225 |
| 213 | Norwell- | 216 |
| | Southern Wells | 277 |
| 213 | South Side | 209 |
| 213 | Carroll- | 209 |
| | Adams Central | 235 |
| 206 | Churubusco | 227 |
| 171 | New Haven | 164 |
| 213 | Norwell | 216 |
| 206 | Churubusco | 227 |

Conference Meet 5TH place
ACAC Record: 2nd Place.
Over all record: 15-7.
Honorary Captain: Greg Platt.

## VARSITY BASEBALL 1971

| LEO | SPRING | OPPONENTS |
|---|---|---|
| 2 | Dekalb | 0 |
| 5 | Homestead | 1 |
| 11 | Eastside | 6 |
| 2-1 | Dekalb | 11-3 |
| 13 | Heritage | 2 |
| 16 | Adams Central | 5 |
| 14-10 | Churubusco | 1-2 |
| 12 | Hamilton | 1 |
| 2 | Carroll | 1 |
| 1 | South Side | 3 |
| | SECTIONAL | |
| 9 | Hamilton | 5 |
| 4 | Eastside | 2 |
| 5 | Angola | 1 |
| | REGIONAL | |
| 2 | Columbia City | 1 |
| 2 | New Haven | 4 |
| | SUMMER | |
| 13 | Carroll | 1 |
| 2 | Adams Central | 0 |
| 9 | Hamilton | 2 |
| 3 | Heritage | 4 |
| 9 | Norwell | 1 |
| 13 | Pr. Heights | 3 |
| 11 | Southern Wells | 6 |
| 10 | Woodlan | 0 |
| 6 | Dekalb | 7 |
| 8 | Eastside | 1 |
| 6 | Alumni | 4 |
| 14 | Churubusco | 3 |
| 4 | Homestead | 3 |
| 3 | Norwell | 5 |

Spring Record: 13-4.
Summer Record: 11-3.
Record: 24-7
ACAC Conference selections:
Pitcher: Tim Minnick
Infield: Mike Lederman
Outfield: Randy Zuber
Leading Hitters:
Tim Minnick .480%
Randy Zuber .413%
Mike Lederman .400%
Team members not pictured that played on sectional championship team: Tom Rediger, Jim Liechty, Bruce Zorger, and Tom Elett.

## VARSITY TRACK

| WINS | LOSSES |
|---|---|
| Woodlan | Leo |
| Leo | Central Catholic |
| Leo | Homestead |
| Norwell | Leo |
| Leo | Carroll |
| Leo | Eastside |
| Leo | Ad. Central |
| Woodlan | Leo |
| Leo | So. Wells |
| Leo | Churubusco |
| Heritage | Leo |
| Witko | Leo |
| Leo | Churubusco |
| Snider | Leo |
| Leo | Garrett |

Placed 2nd in Leo Relays.
Placed 4th in ACAC Meet.
ACAC all conference team:
Tim Minnick, Shot Put.
Mickey Tonkel, Pole Vault.

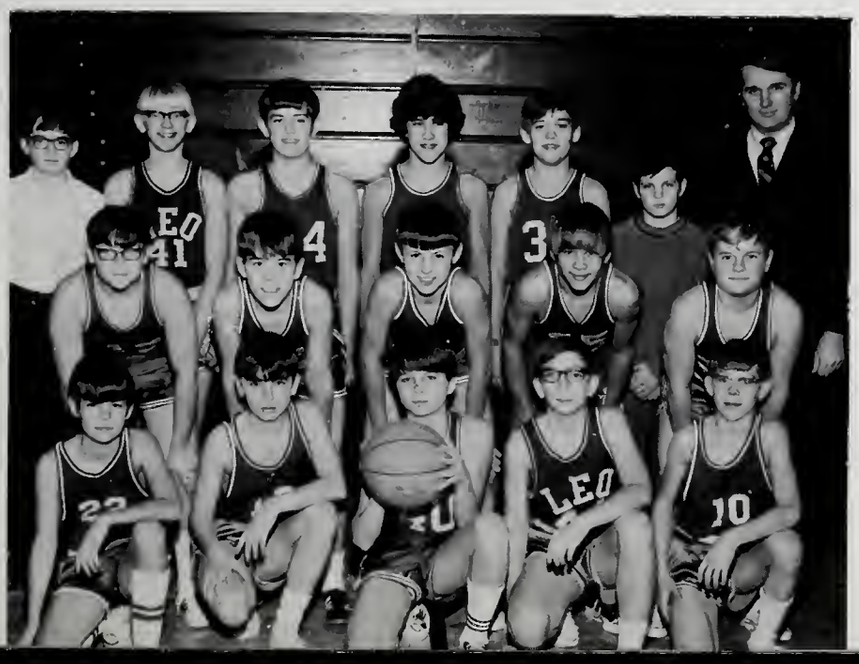
# Jr. High Basketball

## 9th Grade

ROW 1: B. Bender, L. Delagrange, K. Zimmerman, V. Baumgartner. ROW 2: B. Wielbaker, D. Rennecker, M. Heller, M. Augustinak, C. Chapman. ROW 3: T. Hartigan, T. Crabill, M. Federspiel, J. Ball, Coach Stuckey.

## 8th Grade

ROW 1: D. Delagrange, R. Klopfenstein, C. Beecky, M. Fries. ROW 2: D. Lyon, P. Bollier, B. Klopfenstein, R. Gerke, R. Gerig, G. Wetzel. ROW 3: C. Bender, L. Stoller, T. Troyer, M. Shoaff, D. Hager, Coach Schlatter.




## 7th Grade

ROW 1: R. Sommers, V. Kipfer, C. York, R. Poisel, D. Grieger. ROW 2: K. Steury, J. Cunningham, D. Dwyer, B. Cole, S. Schlatter. ROW 3: D. Pugh, M. Heller, P. Johnson, D. Crosby, K. Yost, K. Fries, Coach Steinhauser.

# Senior High

C. Stouder crossing the finish line.

D. Straughn doing her floor routine.

S. Oddou on the uneven bars.

Sr. High GAA has a very productive year. The girls were involved in softball, basketball, volleyball, gymnastics, and track. The track team beat several other teams in track this spring. The gymnastics team won all their meets, including the district meet which was held at Leo.

S. Miller broad jumping.

# Girls' Athletic Association

R. Vendrely reaches high for the jump ball.

L. Brouse shows her "slugger stance."

Warm up exercise helps everyone stay in shape.

The softball team was very successful also. They lost only one game. The volleyball and basketball teams hope to have better seasons next year. Our coach Miss Baumgartner deserves much credit. She worked hard with each individual as well as all the teams. Her help was very rewarding.

# Jr. High Track

D. Boyle, D. Delagrange, A. Miller, V. Kipfer, M. Gardner, D. Kissell, B. Cole, M. Tonkel, D. Gerke, K. Sink. ROW 2: J. Heim, M. Driver, M. Lengacher, D. Crosby, D. Dwyer, M. Heller, G. Stabler, D. West, T. Black, S. Krider. ROW 3: C. DeWells, G. Wetzel, C. Bender, G. Roberts, P. Bollier, M. Shoaff, K. Butler, R. Gerig, Coach Gbaet. Not shown: B. Lewandowski, R. Gerke, C. Carey.

# Faces in the Crowd

Sometimes in the confusion of school life, we tend to look at the students as a whole rather than individually. This section is devoted to separating the individuals from the group, and here they will become individual personalities rather than a faceless mass.

# INDIVIDUALS

Look out below!

Even Protein 21 doesn't work in the rain.

# *Students Express Themselves*

Karen Lederman thinks biting her nails relieves tension.

If you can't stack it...

Jeff Sauder puts the finishing touches on the van.

Lynn Nelson uses Cold Power to get her phys ed clothes the whitest-white.

Stuff it.

Mike Grush tries to spot them all.

# Juniors

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Class Officers: Sherry Zehr, Treas.; Pam Sylvester, Sec.; Dave Pelz, Vice Pres.; Beth Wells, Pres.

Dave Baldwin
Debbie Baldwin
Galen Beachy
Linda Beedy
Steve Behm
Carol Betz

Linda Blomberg
Sue Blotkamp
Ron Bollier
Dan Bradley
Greg Branson
Janell Brown

Ed Burgess
Rod Burgess
Sue Burgess
Rick Burns
Dave Campbell
Matt Carey

Craig Carper
Ray Chapman
Rick Christman
Vicki Clifton
Cindy Clouse
Gene Cowan

Amy Croteau
Dan Deventer
Mike Deventer
Larry Downend
Cindy Doxsee
Richard Eicher

Maggie Evans
Tab Farnsworth
Rick Galuoppo
Patty Gaunt
Dave Graber
Don Greer

Pat Grush
Joy Gustin
Pam Hade
Rick Hartigan
Carma Hartman
Sue Heim

Debbie Herzog
Jackie Hill
Rick Hullinger
Jennifer Jones
Steve Jones
Debbie Kelly

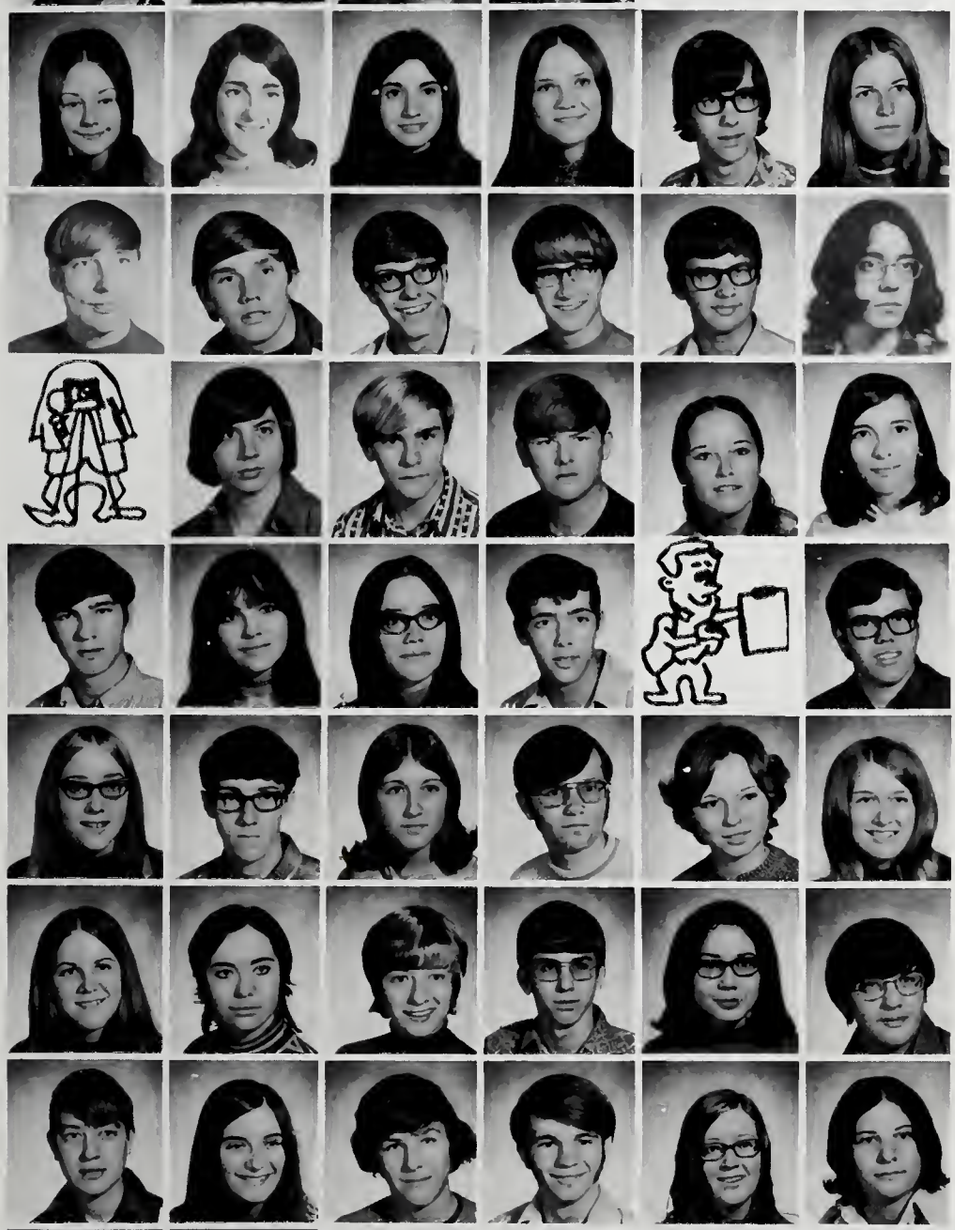
Debbie King
Ricki Kipfer
Loren Klopfenstein
Tania Kohl

Hank LaBrosse
Andy Latz
Dennis Laub
Karen Lederman

Carma Liechty
Greg Liechty
Dan Love
Katie Maier

Sherri Mann
Cindy McMahan
Vicki McWhirter
Chrys Michael

Juniors anxiously await their class rings.



Margaret Miller
Sally Miller
Gina Morgan
Debbie Mountz
Mike Myers
Lynn Nelson

Terry Noel
Bob Pauley
Dave Pelz
Jim Platt
John Ramsey
Jim Ream

Kevin Roberts
Bob Saturday
Jeff Sauder
Bob Saum
Jennifer Savage
Brenda Saylor

Dave Saylor
Mary Schaefer
Rosemarie Schaefer
Phil Schlatter
Alan Schoeneman
George Segerstrom

Diann Shoaff
Bob Shoaff
Cindy Sommer
Kirk Steury
Darlene Straughn
Toni Surfus

Pam Sylvester
Carolyn Thomas
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Rod Warner

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Ron Wells
Jerry Wilson
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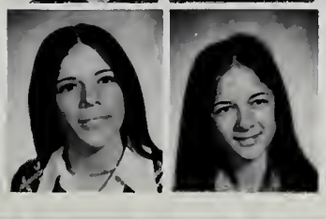
Debbie Worden



Sherri Zehr
Kathy Zorger
Randy Zuber

# Sophomores

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Class Officers: Debby Hankey, Treas.; Tim Klopfenstein, Pres.; Janice Miller, Sec.; Carl Schauer, Vice-Pres.

Cindy Acra
Rose Arruza
David Beachy
Roger Beedy
Greg Black
Brad Blauser

Dan Blausey
Terri Brown
Susie Burns
Bob Burdett
Rod Butler
Amy Christman

Lilli Cole
Greg Coyle
Doug Croteau
Keith Culler
Karen Cunningham
Steve Dean

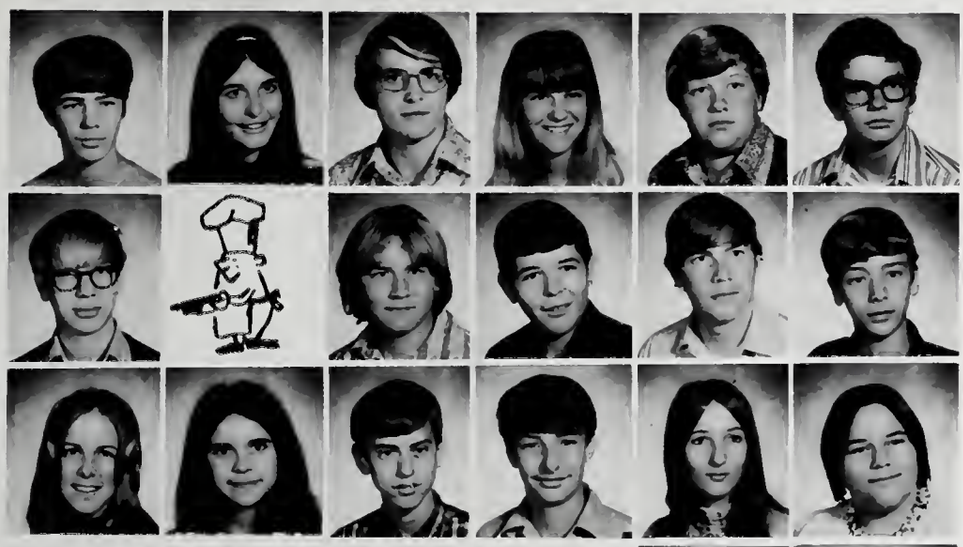
Vicki DeForest
Carol Delagrange
Harold Deter
Kent Detter
Kenneth Deventer
Sandy DeWells

Richard DeWitt
Debra Dunfee
Dennis Egli
Jack Everett
Vicki Fisher
Marsha Garey

Margaret Gauwreluk
Linda Gehring
Randy Gernhardt
James Greer
Robin Gray
Debbie Hankey

Kathy Harris
Steve Harris
Roger Haupert
Judy Heim
Jerry Henderson
Larry Henderson

Doug Hill
JoAnn Hobson
Larry Jessup
Diane Johnson
Marilyn Jones
Larry Kinsey



Joe Kipfer
Kathy Kipfer
Jeff Kissell
Sonnie Kitzmiller
Ron Klopfenstein
Tim Klopfenstein



Larry Kruse
Lonnie LaRowe
Dan Leeper
Kent Lederman
Jerry Lee
Brian Leichty



Connie Liechty
Joy Liechty
Paul Liechty
Phillip Liechty
Carol Lochner
Janet Luker

Floyd McNeice
Gary Metz

Greg Platt is at it again.

Terry Miles
Bruce Miller

Danny Miller
Greg Miller

Herb Miller
Janice Miller

Karen Miller
Rollie Minnick

Joel Mix
Michael Moore
Douglas Myers
Dave Neuhouser
Steve Noel
Ed Notestine

Hope Osborn
Christine Pauley
Michael Pick
Greg Platt
Dan Porter
Donna Porter

Cindy Pulver
Becky Reasoner
Elaine Reed
David Renfrow
Ronald Repine
Randy Roberts

James Sauder
Mark Sauder
Becky Saum
Dennis Saylor
Carl Schauer
Rick Schoeneman

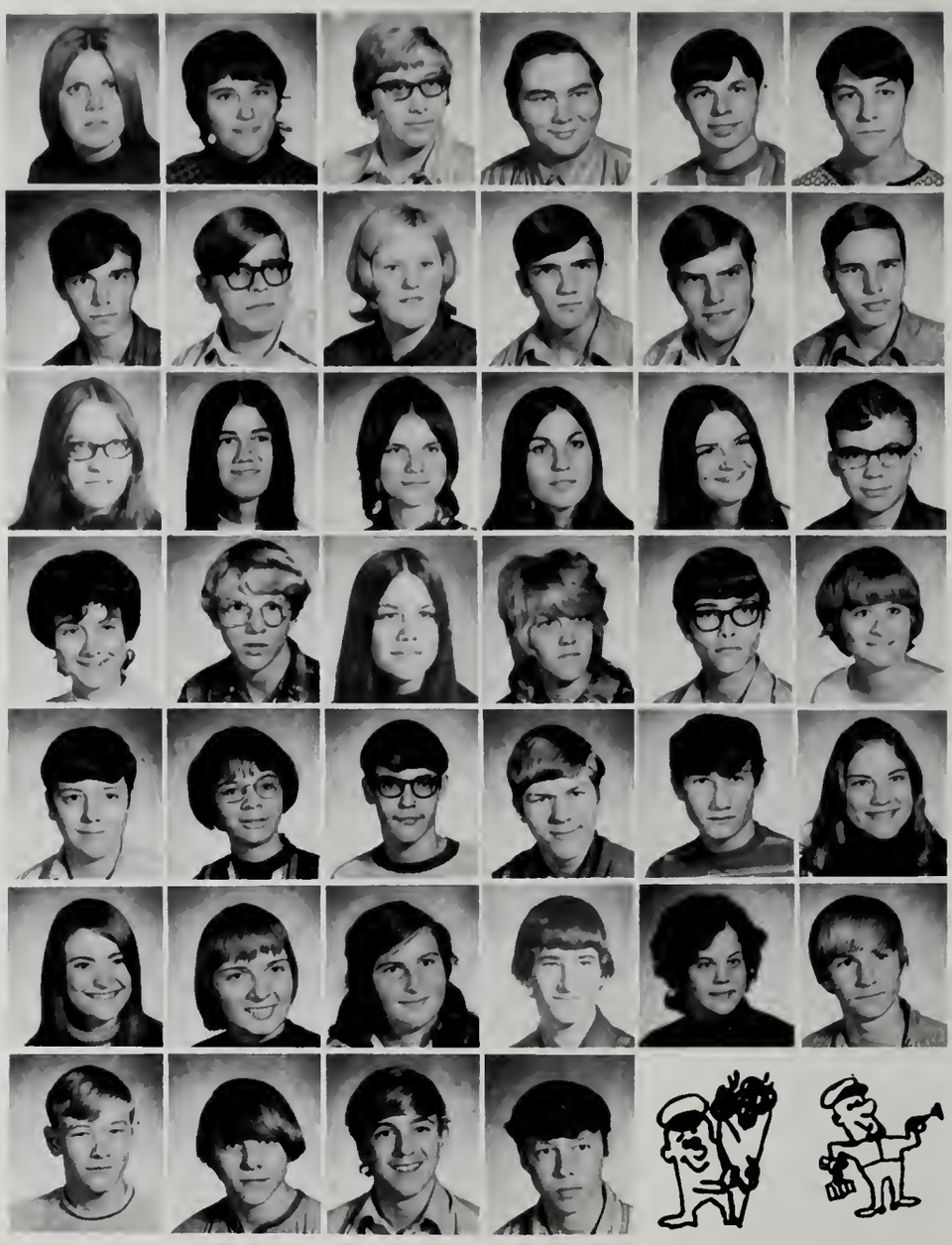
Alberta Schrock
Marie Schwartz
Cathryn Scott
Sandy Scoville
Kathy Shears
Larry Slater

Terez Slentz
John Sluyter
Terri Sommer
Kim Souder
Kevin Souder
Becky Stabler

Keith Steininger
Claudia Stouder
Lynn Stuckey
Eric Surface
Vaughn Tonkel
Linda VanZile

Lucy Vogt
Cindy Wahlig
Marsha Wann
Greg Warren
Lisa Weilbaker
Keith Wells

David Wisniewski
Kenneth Wisniewski
Jack Wolfe
Kirk Zuber



Eric Surface gnaws on his pencil while waiting for lunch.

Karen Miller cheers her team to a hard-fought victory.

# Freshmen

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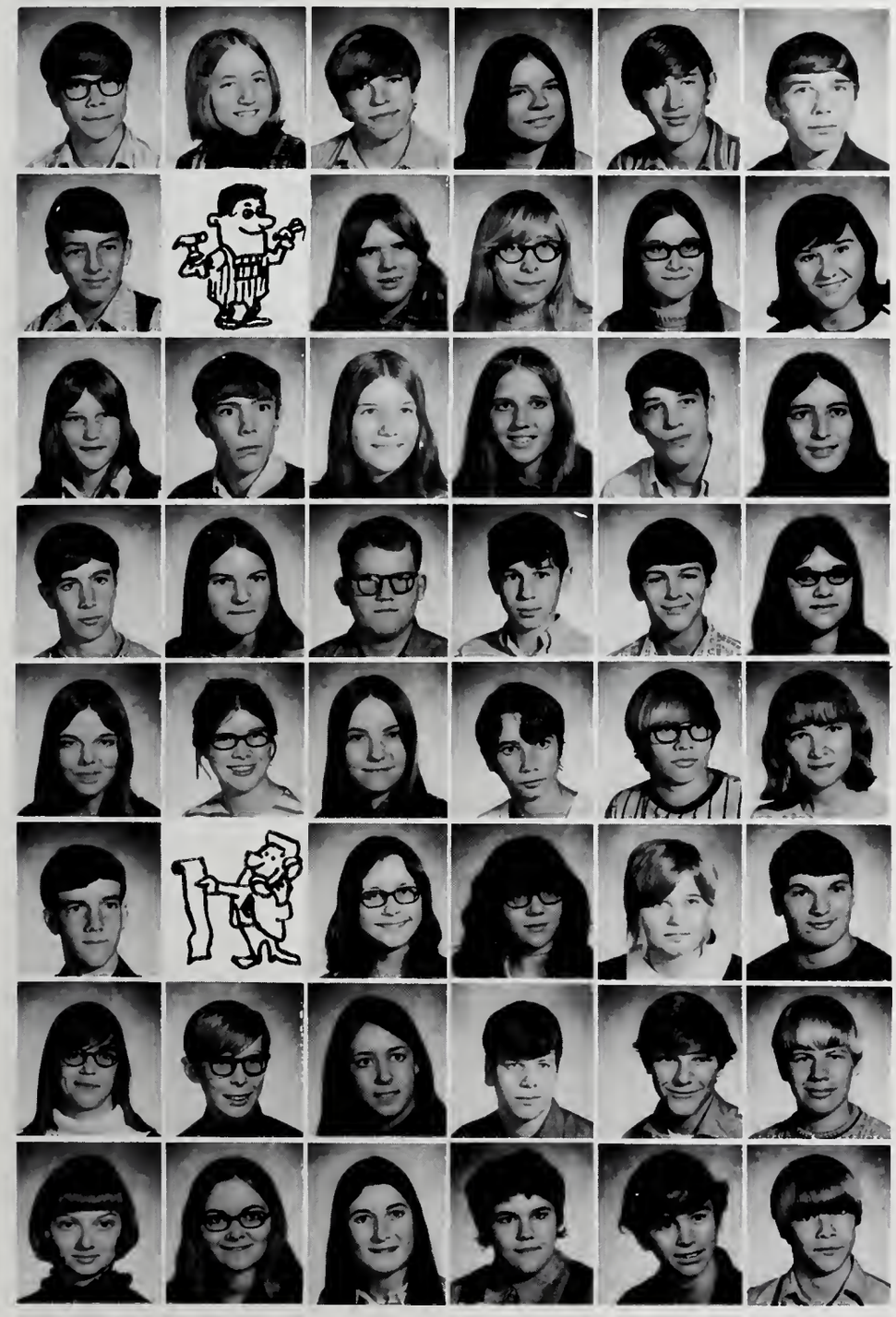
Class Officers: Jan Sauder, Pres.; Mark Schlatter, Treas.; Tom Crabill, V. Pres.; Kathy Gehring, Sec.



Jerry Amstutz
Marla Amstutz
Mike Augustyniak
Lessa Augustyniak
John Ball
Vic Baumgartner

Barry Bender
Debbie Behm
Dawn Blauser
Joanne Blomberg
Sharon Blotkamp
Drena Bradley

Lori Brouse
Dan Butler
Lori Campbell
Cindy Carey
Craig Chapman
Rose Christman

Tom Crabill
Joyce Cole
Curt Collins
Doug Delagrange
Leroy Delagrange
Carol Deventer

Marlene Deventer
Joann DeWitt
Debbie Doll
Tim Doxsee
Tim Elett
Teresa Evans

Mike Federspiel
Judy Fore
Karen Fries
Kathy Gehring
Robin Gongwer
Ken Graber

Patty Grear
John Grieger
Chris Gustin
Tim Hartigan
Scott Heath
Mark Heller

Cheryl Henderson
Dawn Henry
Debbie Howard
Julie Howland
Jim Hurst
Scott Kipfer

Hard work, patience, and originality are just a few of the elements going into the Freshmen class display.

In memory of Steve Eicher
1956-1971

Jeff Lengacher

Sara Liechty
Conrad Matz

Julie Maxfield
Mike McKinley

Denise Mertens
Cheryl Metz
Sara Miller
Katrina Mires
Karen Moore
Carol Murray

Bryan Myers
Kim Paff
Gary Patton
Dean Peasley
Mike Porter
Gary Peters

Wayne Raeke
Jim Reinsch
Minnie Renfrow
Dave Rennecker
Dawn Roth
Jan Sauder

Patty Schaefer
Mark Schlatter
Tom Schlatter
Sue Shoemaker
Kyle Sowers
Larry Stabler

David Steffens
Debbie Stein
Yvonne Stuckey
Jeff Sutton
John Tempel
Martha Thornburg

Lisa Urbine
Terry VanAllen
Kim Weidner
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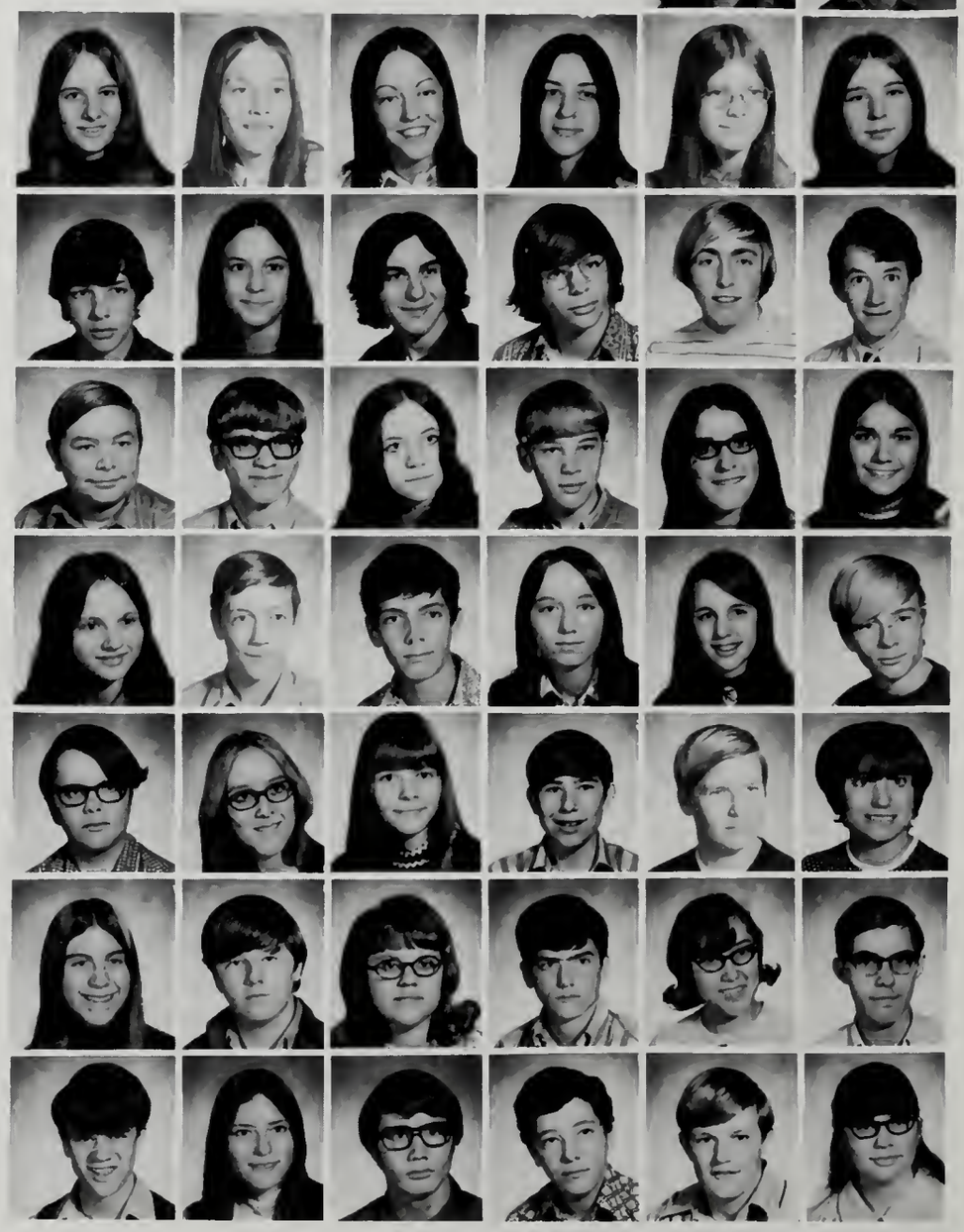

# 8th Grade

The "spirited class of '76" sold magazines as their main project throughout the year.

Class Officers: Jeff Platt, Vice-Pres.; Beth Buckles, Treas.; Phil Bollier, Pres.; Eleanor Schaeffer, Sec.

Randy Acra
Brian Amstutz
Vickie Amstutz
Cindy Baker
Roxanne Bauman
Conrad Beachy

Chuck Bender
Teresa Black
Todd Black
Lisa Blough
Phil Bollier
Cathy Books

Bruce Bowser
Beth Buckles
Brig Burgess
Debbie Burns
Keith Butler
Chris Carey

Tim Collins
Sue Crabill
Julie Dean
Dan Delagrange
Linda Delagrange
Claudia Detter

Cliff DeWells
Mike Driver
Pam Dwyer
Vicki Eastes
Alan Eicher
Julie Elett

John Erne
Natalie Farnsworth
Dawn Fitzcharles
Mike Fries
Mark Gardner
Jeff Gaunt

Rod Gerig
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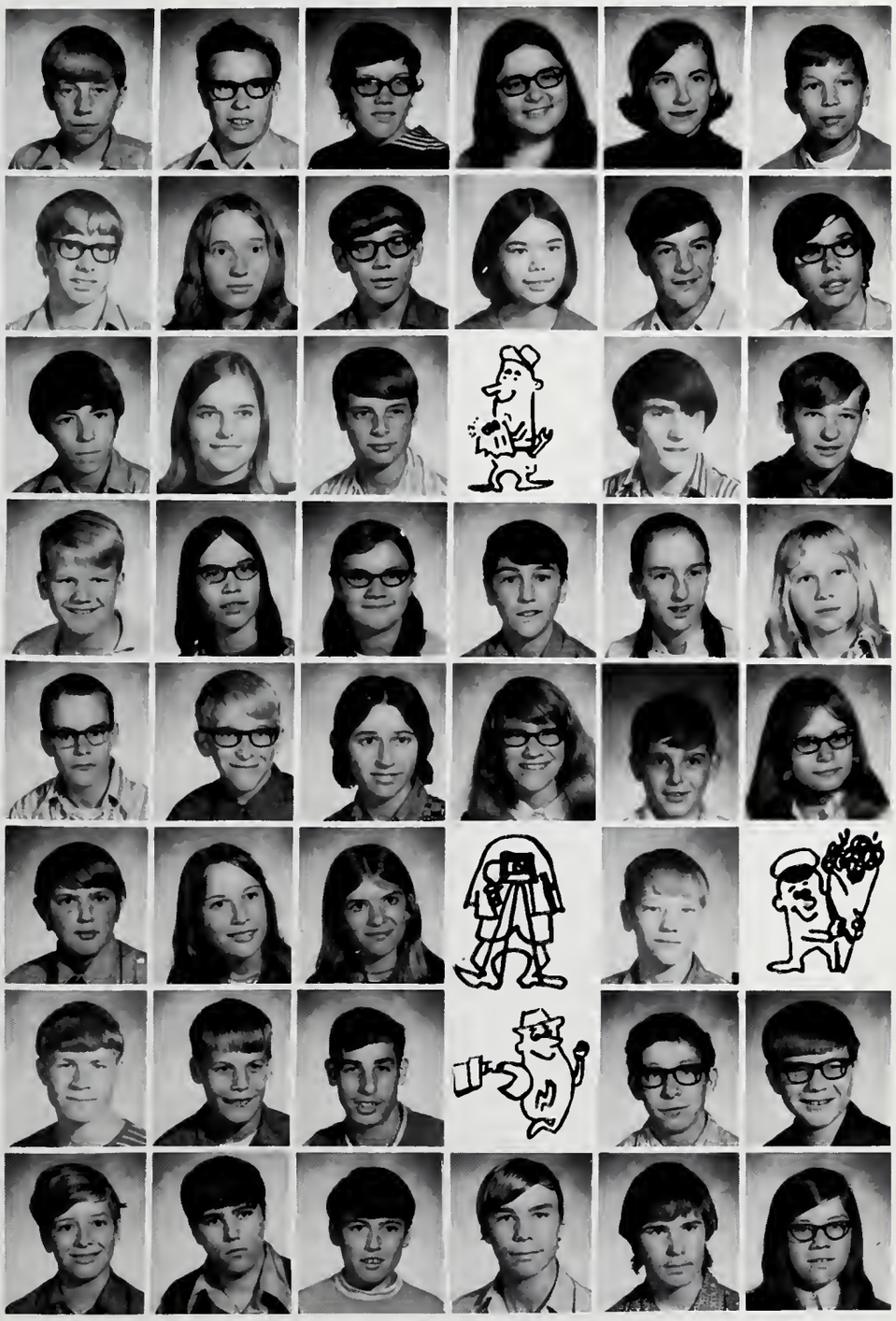

Pam Lengacher gets in another predicament while Howard innocently stands by.

Jeff Hursh
Wilda Hurst
Janice Jensen
Peter Johnson
Philip Jones
Gorden Julius

Kathy King
Brent Klopfenstein
Regi Klopfenstein
Kelli Kruckeberg
Scott Kryder
Beth Leichty

LaMar Leichty
Majorie Lengacher
Mark Lengacher
Pam Lengacher
Carol Liechty
Lora Linn

David Lyon
Gerhard Maier
Linda McCagg
Alvin Miller
Denny Miller
Mark Miller

Pam Mills
Jeanne Mull
Cheryl Musser
Cathy Nelson
Kathy Neuhouser
Shareen Notestine

Pat Oddou
Debbie Parkison
Michael Parr
Holly Peasley
Kevin Pelz
Mark Peters

Paul Phillips
Jeff Platt
Cindy Pontius
Gary Roberts
Stef Sachen
Marion Saturday

Eleanor Schaeffer
Roger Schwartz
Rosie Schwartz
Marie Segerstrom
Cindy Shaffer
Doug Shaffer

Mike Shoaff
Kevin Sink
Cheryl Sluyter
Beth Souder
Gary Stabler
Charles Stailey

Terry Stoll
Les Stoller
Mariann Stuckey
Stephanie Sylvester
Jim Tiedeman
Mark Tonkel

Terry Troyer
Cheryl VanDyke
Paul Vandevenne
Cindy Vredenburg
Loretta Wagler
Colleen Wagner

Larry Walters
Randy Warner
Doug West
Gregg Wetzel
Cindy Wilson
David Wilson

Julie Yockey
Jeff Yoder
Jerry Yoder
Kerry York
Tammy Zink
Kevin Zollinger

Ann Zorger

Kurt Harris tries to convince the girls that he "loves them all."

# Seventh Grade

Anxiety, confusion and the excitement of being in high school marked the first day for the 118 seventh graders, but by the end of the year all the anxiety they had felt in August was forgotten as the seventh graders remembered a year of meeting new friends, selling magazines, and fun.

CLASS OFFICERS: David Greiger, V. Pres; Vince Kipfer, Pres; Linda Klea, Treas; Marcia Tharp, Sec.

Gwen Amstutz
Peter Augustyniak
David Baker
Eric Ball
Nathan Beachy
Jan Bellinger

Joel Bjorge
Steve Blomberg
Dennis Boyle
Elaine Branson
Erlene Branson
Sheila Burger

Rosan Butler
Lisa Campbell
Bryan Chaney
Bruce Cole
Dave Crosby
Matt Croteau

Jim Cunningham
Jackie DeForest
Charlotte Delagrange
Kevin Delagrange
Nancy DeWitt
Mark Downing

Marc Dunlee
Ken Fries
Mary Garman
Jim Gerig
Candy Graber
Minnie Grear

Darrell Hankey
Mike Heller
Brad Henry
Tony Horn
Pat Johnson
Dan Kissell

Linda Klea
Vince Kipfer
Jody Kitzmiller
Judy Kitzmiller
Linda Klinger
Cindy Komanec

Scott Lantz
Jodi Lederman
Rex Lengacher
Dawn Liechty
Sherman Liechty
Marlene MaHan

Jayne Maxfield
Lowell Means
Mike Scott
Kerry Miller
Nicky Miller
Rosa Miller

Gwen Minnick
Kathy Moorehead
Lori Morgan
Geoff Morrical
Tim Morrical
Starleen Ordway

Virginia Pelz
Jeff Pick
Dianna Pontius
Debbie Porter
Danny Pugh
Kenny Reed

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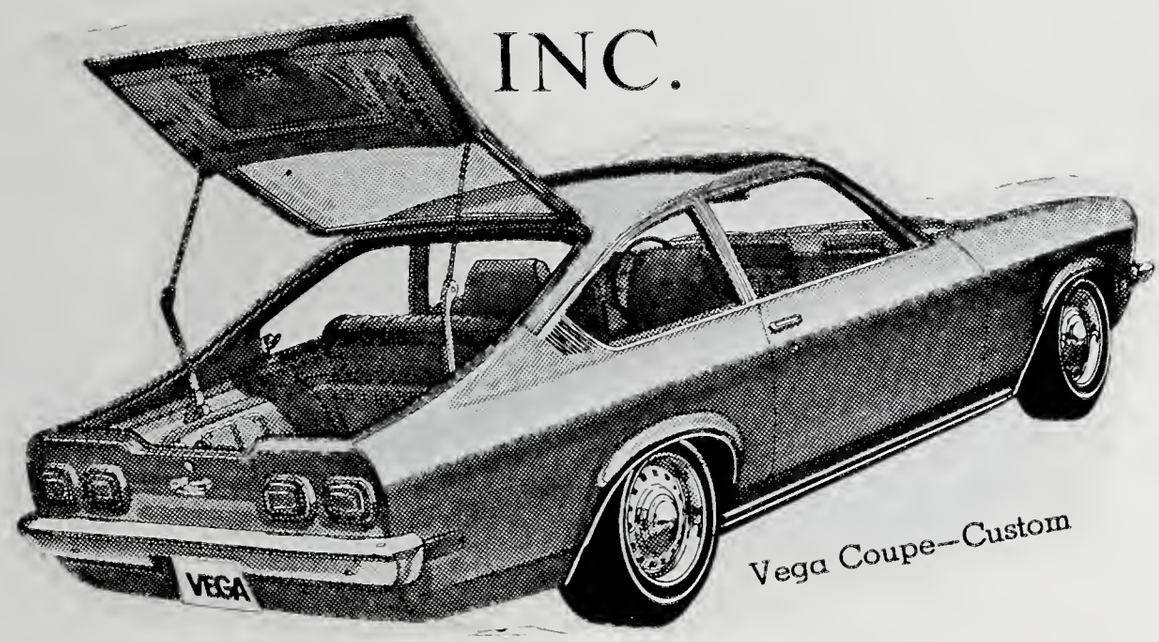


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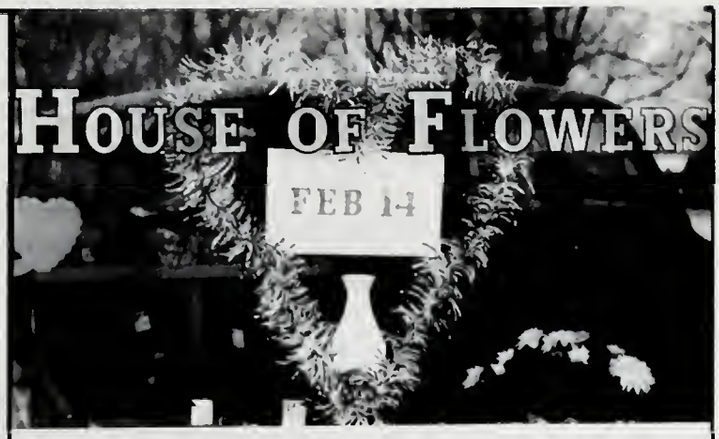


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Co-editors,

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